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## BIRTHS.

...RRY—April 14, 1940, at 25 Lower Leeson ...reet, to Ethnea, wife of James C. Barry, ... Sandymount avenue, a son.

...VERELL—April 25, 1940, at Nairobi, ...argy (née Wynne Willson), wife of C. M. ...everell, Kenya Administration, a son.

...L—April 25, 1940, at a private nursing ...ome, to Madge, wife of Noel Gill, ...rdmeen Cottage, Blackrock, Co. Dublin, ...son (survived birth only five days).

## MARRIAGES.

...ACE and McKEW—April 18, 1940, at ...ughterdrum Church, Fermanagh, by the ...ev. J. McKew, B.A. (father of the bride), ...sisted by Rev. E. J. McKew, Alfred J., ...econd youngest son of John Grace and the ...e Mrs. Francis Grace, Rathmines, and ...argaret Joyce, second daughter of the ...v. E. J. and Mrs. McKew, of Belleek.

...RLIHY and BYRNE—April 3, 1940, at ...hurch of St. John the Baptist, Blackrock, ...ublin (with Nuptial Mass), by Rev. D. ...Gorman, C.C., John Herlihy, Commis...oner of Valuation, to Nancy, eldest ...ughter of Denis J. and the late Mary ...yrne, 2 Idrone terrace, Blackrock.

...OWLES and FAULKNER—April 19, ...40, at Jerusalem, Palestine, George, elder ...n of Mr. and Mrs. George Knowles, ...pper Bakaa, Jerusalem, to Ivy Elizabeth, ...ird daughter of Mr. W. J. Faulkner and ...e late Mrs. Faulkner, Derrynane, ...shbourne avenue, Limerick.

## DEATHS.

...RISTIE—April 29, 1940, at his residence, ...leneagles, Knockbreda Park, Belfast, ...ames Keith Christie. Funeral to Knock...reda Cemetery to-day (Wednesday), 1st ...ay, at 3 p.m.

...ARKE—April 30, 1940, at Riverview, ...ealaghbeg, Bailieboro', Sarah, widow of ...e late Richard Clarke, J.P. Funeral ...-morrow (Thursday) at 3 o'clock ...ummer time) to Urcher Cemetery.

...ONHELM—March 30, 1940, at Capetown ...he result of an accident), Newton, eldest ...n of the late Theodore and Mea ...onhelm, The Tunnel, Greystones.

...NRY—April 27, 1940, at Baggot Street ...ospital, Eva (née Constable), beloved wife ... William Henry, Delgany. Interred, ...ontarf Cemetery, April 30th.

...PE—April 30, 1940, at his residence, ...artlandstown House, Crookedwood, ...ullingar, Edward J. Hope. Deeply ...gretted. R.I.P. Funeral from White...ll Church to-morrow (Thursday) at ... o'clock (old time). Office and High ...ass at Whitehall Church on Friday, May ...d, at 10.30 a.m. (old time).

...MPHRIES—April 30, 1940, at his resi...nce, 11 Charleville road, Rathmines, ...ublin, William Francis Humphries (late ...istrict Engineer, P.O., Dublin, West, and ...aterford), in his 72nd year, to the great ...ief of his sorrowing wife and family. ...I.P. Remains arriving at Church of Our ...ady of Refuge, Rathmines, to-day ...Wednesday), May 1st, at 6.30 p.m. ...equiem Mass at 8 a.m. to-morrow (Thurs...ay), 2nd May. Funeral leaving 10 a.m. ...y road for Limerick.

...ACOCK—April 27, 1940, at her residence, ...adison House, Cave Hill road, Belfast, ...mma Hyde, widow of the late Major F. ... Peacock, Somerset Light Infantry, and ...der daughter of the late John Lanyon, ...I.B.A., of Lisbreen, Fortwilliam Park, ...elfast, in her 76th year.

...RUE (Cobh)—April 29, 1940, at Convent ... Mercy, Reverend Mother M. Dominic. ...I.P. Obsequies at 11 a.m. (summer ...me) to-day (Wednesday) at Rush...ooke Convent of Mercy.


...ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for ...his Column will be found on Page 6.


## IN MEMORIAM.

...TON—In loving memory of dear Joe, ...lled Home, May 1st, 1933.

...NAVAN—Third Anniversary—In loving ...emory of Thomas Canavan, who departed ...is life on May 1, 1937, at Main street, ...ossmolina. Sacred Heart of Jesus, have ...ercy on his soul. Masses offered.—...serted by his loving wife.

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...OTICE TO ARTESIAN WELL SINKERS.

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all persons claiming to be incumbrancers affecting the interest of the Defendant in:—
the House and Premises No. 127 Capel street, in the Parish of St. Mary and City of Dublin, held under lease dated 11th March, 1903, for the lives of His Majesty King George the Sixth and the Duke of Windsor and the survivor, at the yearly rent of £64 12s. 4d., and in 100 seven and a half per cent. Preferred Ordinary Shares of £1 each in the Stephen's Green Cinema, Limited, are to enter and prove their claims at the Central Office of the High Court of Justice, Four Courts, Dublin, on or before the 15th day of May, 1940, or in default they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every such Incumbrancer holding any security is to produce same at the Examiner's Office of the said Court on the 23rd day of May, 1940, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.
Dated the 12th day of April, 1940.
THOMAS F. B. ADDERLEY, Examiner.
P. R. BOYD, Solicitor, 10 College Green, Dublin.

IN THE GOODS OF
JOHN JAMES REDMOND, Deceased, late of 2 Mangerton road, Drimnagh, Dublin, and 5A Swift's Alley, Dublin, Manufacturer.
Let all persons having claims against the estate of the above deceased furnish particulars thereof to the undersigned Solicitors for the Administrator forthwith.
Dated this 27th day of April, 1940.
ROGER GREENE & SONS, Solicitors for the Administrator, 11 Wellington quay, Dublin.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
JOHN McCARTHY, late of Crohane, Killenaule, Co. Tipperary, Farmer (retired), Deceased.
Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors or otherwise to have any claim against the assets of the above Deceased, who died on or about the 21st November, 1939, are hereby required to furnish particulars (in writing) to the undersigned Solicitor for the Administratrix on or before the 1st June, 1940, after which date the assets will be discharged, having regard only to the claims then received.
Dated this 27th day of April, 1940.
HENRY SHANNON, Solicitor, Clonmel, Co. Tipperary.

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(IRISH LAND COMMISSION).
NOTICE TO BUILDING CONTRACTORS.

Sealed Tenders, addressed to the undersigned, and marked "Tender for Works B ——————," numbered as in the First Column of the Schedule hereto for the construction of the buildings specified in the said Schedule, will be received up to, but not later than, Noon on the 16th May, 1940. Plans and Specifications may be seen at this Office or on the lands when an Inspector will attend to point out sites.

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A COMPETENT MAN REQUIRED, Protestant, age around 45; mechanical knowledge essential; some housework; live in; £40; long references; country. Address "Z 4895, Man," this office. 28 D

A THOROUGHLY experienced LINEN-KEEPER required for city Hotel. Apply, stating particulars, salary, etc., and enclose copies of references, H 1485, this office. 29 E

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REQUIRED immediately, experienced SHORTHAND TYPIST (temporary), city office.—H 1495, this office. 29 E

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## EMPLOYMENT WANTED

**ALL Vacancies, Situations and Appointments sought, hitherto appearing under special heading will now be found in this column.**

A YOUNG Man, age 26, seeks work, clerical or otherwise; owns car.—253, Irish Times Branch Office, Dun Laoghaire. 29 E

A RESPECTABLE young Man seeks situation as House Parlourman; town or country.—H 1617, this office.

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A VERY young COOK GENERAL WANTED the beginning of June for Shrewsbury road, Ballsbridge; two adults; h. p'maid and chauffeur kept; good wages and outings; very good cooking and highest references essential.—H 1488, this office. 29 E

AT Once—Young COOK GENERAL, 25-30; long references.—Useful People, 38, Dame street.

A COOK, £100; another, £80; four, £36-£45.—Kennedy's, 68 Sackville street.

COOK GENERAL WANTED, 15th May; Ballsbridge; house parlourmaid kept; 2 in family; good cooking essential; reply with copy of discharges and all particulars.—H 1535, this office. 29 C

CAPABLE, willing COOK GENERAL, also HOUSE PARLOURMAID; near Kingstown; £36, £26.—H 1611, this office.

COOK GENERAL, good cooking; clean, willing; Glenageary.—H 1612, this office.

COOK GENERAL, Co. Kildare; Aga cooker; other maid kept; state age, send copies references. Address "Z 4912, Cook General," this office.

COOK GENERAL, middle-aged, for English country rectory; safe area; Irish mistress; wages £50. Address "Z 4798, Cook," this office. 24 X

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WANTED for Private Hospital, Dublin, young, thoroughly experienced COOK; one having done Domestic Science course preferred; good salary to suitable person. Address "Z 4877, Cook," this office. 26 C

WANTED, experienced COOK GENERAL, professional house, Rhyl, N. Wales; receptionist help kept; references essential, state wage. Apply 34 York road, Rathgar. T

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YOUNG, good COOK GENERAL; £45; small family, charge.—D. O., 43 Copse Hill, Wimbledon, S.W.20. 25 D

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COUNTRY GIRL WANTED, with experience, GENERAL MAID or MOTHER'S HELP, for small modern English country home, safe area; good home and wages; expenses paid. Address "Z 4931, General," this office. 30 X

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GENERAL for Sutton; adult family; £24 year; heavy washing sent out; copy of reference.—H 1529, this office. 29 C

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WANTED immediately, experienced GENERAL; good cook; must be well recommended; one lady; modernised house, one mile church, "Sea roads, two Greystones, three Bray.—King-Gill, Barrnacullia, Kilmacanogue. 26 C

WANTED, young Protestant GIRL, train as GENERAL; good home.—254, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

WANTED, superior GENERAL, Donnybrook; good cooking essential; family two; good wages.—H 1491, this office. 29 C

WANTED, experienced GENERAL; three in family; Rathgar road.—H 1572, this office.

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LADY going away wishes to recommend her excellent cook to lady or gentleman; Bray preferred.—66, Wilde's Office, Bray. 29 C

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EXPERIENCED General Maid seeks post; Galway or Sligo preferred.—H 1592, this office.

YOUNG country girl, train as General; city, suburbs; recommended.—H 1562, this office.

YOUNG, experienced General, small adult family; outdoor; South side.—H 1569, this office.

YOUNG, experienced General (outdoor); good references; South side; disengaged.—H 1561, this office.

YOUNG country girl wishes situation as General; long references; South side preferred.—H 1603, this office.

### COOKS AND DAIRYMAIDS DISENGAGED.

COOK, good, wishes situation; good references; town or country. Address "Z 4849, Cook," this office. 26 C

COOK, good, or Cook General, soon disengaged; can housekeep; moderate wages.—H 1417, this office. 26 C

COOK General; highly recommended; disengaged early May. Address "Z 4939, Cook General," this office.

COOK, young, thoroughly experienced; city or suburbs; excellent references.—H 1504, this office. 29 D

GIRL wants post, good Cook; well recommended; indoor or outdoor; central.—976, Irish Times Branch Office, Bagot Street Bridge.

YOUNG Girl, Cook; college trained; one year suitable hotel experience; recommended; disengaged for health and sound sense; prefer private family or institution; good wages essential. Address "Z 4911, Cook," this office. 29 E

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A RESPECTABLE young Protestant girl wishes to be visited by Parlourmaid; strongly recommended. Address "Z 4926, Girl," this office.

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COVERS for sties, carts, threshers, barrows; Tarpaulins, Sacks.—Fetrie Bros., 36 Usher's quay, Dublin. T

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MEN'S Cleated Wellingtons, 14/9; strong Khaki Drill Working Shirts, 4/11; all sizes. 30 F

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48" Kirchner SANDMILL in good working condition. 2-ton Hand Derrick CRANE.—HENDRON BROS., 8-16 Eliza Street, BELFAST. 30 D

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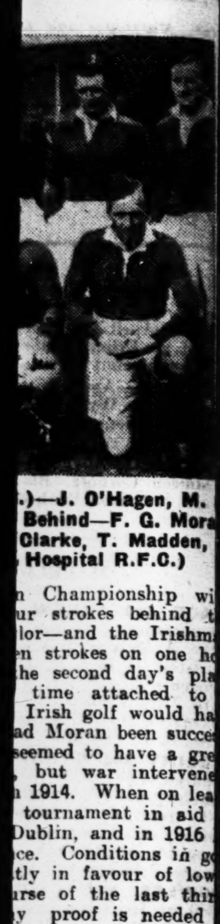

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# DUBLIN STOCK EXCHANGE

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## BRITISH INDUSTRIALS AGAIN EASIER

[Dea]ling on the Dublin Stock Exchange [yester]day was of slightly broader dimensions, [but] most interest centred round local [secur]ities which, apart from one or two shrinkages, again presented quite a [firm a]ppearance. British Industrials showed [li]ttle life, and prices continued to drift [down]wards, as most investors are inclined to [adopt] a wait and see policy in view of the [limitat]ion of dividends.

[Th]e Government Funds were well main[tained] and Financial Agreement Loan im[proved] to 99. There was good buying of [War] Loan all day, and it closed 7s. 6d. [up] at 100⅛.

[Ban]ks held quietly steady. Guinness [Ord.] failed to change hands, but were still [quoted arou]nd around 79s. 6d. Dublin Distillers [" A "] shaded off to 2s. 9d.

[In the] small Railway market Great Northern [Ord.] advanced a point to 50. Dublin Tram[ways] in a little selling shaded off to 9s. 7½d. [Allia]nce Gas Ord. repeated 24s. 3d. Todd [Burns] Pref. have been a good market in [the] markings for some weeks past. They [change]d hands at 61s. 6d., which represents [an adv]ance of nearly 31s. on the last official [quotat]ion, but they looked rather offered at [the f]inish.

[Asso]ciated Properties Pref. and Carroll [Ord.] tended higher, and Ever Ready [(Irelan]d) Ord. moved up to 9s. Independent ["B"] Ord. fell away to 39s., but May [Roberts] (Ireland) Ord. hardened to 40s. 6d., [and a] number of other local Industrials were [dealt i]n at steady levels.

[Text]iles showed an easier trend, with Coats [at] 37s. 3d. and Courtaulds 37s. 4½d. [Dunlop] Ord. rose to 106s., but Imperial [Tobacc]os advised lower at around 115s. [Spinn]ers Ord. held 17s. 7½d. and Woolworth hardened to 60s. Imperial Chemical [s]haded off to 31s., and Shell Transport were called pence down at around [75s. 9]d.

## [O]FFICIAL QUOTATIONS

[GOVER]NMENT FUNDS.
Second National Loan ......(109) 109
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Conversion Loan ......(102½) 102½
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War Loan ......(99¾) 99 15/16 100⅛ ⅛
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[BREW]ERIES AND DISTILLERIES.
[Dubli]n Distillers "A" ......(2/10½) 2/9
[Guin]ness Ord. ......(79/6) 79/-b 80/-a

[RAILWAYS,] TRAMS, ETC.
[Great] Northern Ord. ......(3½) *3½
Pref. ......(7) 6½b 7⅛a
Deb. ......(49) 50
[Dubli]n Tram Ord. ......(10/-) 9/7½

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[IRISH] INDUSTRIALS.
[Assoc.] Properties Pref. ......(19/6) 20/-
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Pref. ......(22/6) 22/9
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[Ever] Ready (Ireland) Ord. ......(8/9) 9/-
[Indep]endent "B" Ord. ......(39/9) 39/- 38/-
n (T. and C.) Ord. ......(28/2) 28/-b 30/-a
[May] Roberts (Ireland) Ord. ......(40/3) 40/6
and Co. Ord. ......(15/-) 15/-

[BRITIS]H INDUSTRIALS.
-Dutch Plantations ...... 20/4½
Ord. ......(104/9) 105/-
[Bradf]ord Dyers Pref. ......(13/-) 13/10½
(Matthew) Ord. ...... 22/1½
(J. and P.) Ord. ......(37/7½) 37/3
"B" Pref. ......(28/4½) 28/3
[Court]aulds Ord. ......(37/10½) 37/4½ 37/3
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[Imper]ial Chemical Ord. ......(31/1½) *31/-
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Bros. Ord. ......(29/-) 28/9
Coal and Wilsons Ord. ...... 28/6
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[Shell] Transport Ord. ......(72/6) 74/6b 75/9a
s (R.) Ord. ...... 3/2¼
h Mines ...... 24/3
Ord. ...... 26/4½
s Ord. ......(17/7½) 17/7½
[Woolw]orth Ord. ......(60/7½) 60/-

* Odd lot. a asked. b bid. c cash.
(Previous prices in parentheses.)

### IRISH BANKS' RATE.

[Ba]nks' Rate (changed October 26, [19]39) ...... 3 %
[O]n Government Stocks transferred 3½%
[Sum]s under £2,000 ...... 1 %
[Sum]s of £2,000 and over ...... 1¼%
[The] rates in the foregoing table are subject [to alter]ation.

## [TH]E MONEY MARKET

### CREDIT EASE

[Excep]tional ease of credit, due to Monday's [paymen]t for requisitioned dollar securities, [forme]d the feature of the Discount market [yesterd]ay. Outside money was freely avail[able at] ½ per cent. With few Treasury bills [coming] up on the early days of the week, [the ma]rket was not eager to satisfy the [big] bank demand for bills at 1 per cent. [There] have been inquiries for the June 30 [maturit]y at 1½ per cent.

[Silver] remained very firm, advancing 1/16d. [to ..]d. for cash, and 21d. forward. In [Bomba]y, June was quoted at Rs. 59, Annas 9. [Sterli]ng in New York lost a large part of [the pre]vious day's rise, opening ⅜c. easier [at $3.5]2⅜, and reacting to $3.51⅛ during the [aftern]oon. In London, the overnight firm[ness o]f the "free" sterling rate was [reflecte]d in a decline of ¼ in the lira and [.. ..] in the yen. Other "free" market [rates] also moved in favour of sterling.

| | April 30 Closing Rates | | April 29 Closing Rates | | Parity before 20/9/31 |
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[Fi]xed by Bank of England. All others are free market rates.

## [MO]TORS AND TEXTILES

### [BIR]MINGHAM IMPROVING

[Motors] still hardening. Morris firmer at 26/3 [div]idend. Austins and Fords better. Raleighs [..]3/3.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 2/4½ | Napiers | [illegible] | 6/7½ |
| 14/10½ | Rolls | [illegible] | 85/3 |
| 17/- | Rovers | [illegible] | 18/10½ |
| 32/9 | Singers | [illegible] | 3/10½ |
| 12/6 | Standards | [illegible] | 12/- |
| 17/9 | Triplex | [illegible] | 21/1½ |
| 1/7½ | S.S. | [illegible] | 6/- |
| 11/9 | | | |

### [M]ANCHESTER EASIER

[A] slight easing among Textiles and business [...]

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 4/4/6 | Velvets | 3/3-3/9 |
| 5/3-5/6 | Spinners | 5/3-5/6 |
| 4/3-4/6 | Beatrs | 4/-5/6 |
| 6/-6/3 | Turner and Newall | [illegible] |
| 37/9-38/3 | | 64/9-65/6 |
| 37/3-37/9 | Wall Paper Def. | |
| 32/6-33/- | | 17/6-18/6 |
| 30/-32/6 | | |

# LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

## SHARP RISES IN GILT-EDGED

## OTHER GROUPS QUIET AND IRREGULAR

Gilt-edged securities took pride of place on the London Stock Markets yesterday, prices rising sharply throughout the list, under the influence of fairly brisk demand in anticipation of the re-investment of part of the proceeds of the sale of requisitioned dollar stocks. The advance was accentuated by the fact that jobbers were none too well supplied with stock, and final gains ranged up to ⅝.

Most other groups experienced a continuance of quiet conditions, and owing to the sustained absence of interest prices again moved irregularly within narrow limits.

The majority of Industrials remained on the dull side, and adverse movements predominated in the Oil and Mining groups, though among the latter Kaffirs were inclined to make headway in the closing stages.

The further improvement in gilt-edged securities took 3½ per Cent. War Loan up to 100¼, at which level a rise of ½ was recorded. Similar gains occurred in Consols, Funding Loan and Conversion 3½ per Cent., whilst Old Consols and Local Loans made steady progress to close ⅛ and ¼ higher respectively. The new War Loan finished a fraction better at 100⅛. India Stocks supplied little of interest, but rather more attention was shown in Dominion and Colonial issues, and here again quotations were higher where changed.

The Foreign section gave another disappointing exhibition, and the recent uncertainty in Far Easterns turned to dullness, recessions of ½ being marked in leading Japanese Bonds, as well as in certain Chinese Government issues. Brazilians also were allowed to sag, but most Europeans managed to hold steady at their previous closing rates.

Wage demands again exercised a restrictive influence on business in the British Rail section, and moderate liquidation at the outset met with little resistance. The atmosphere became somewhat steadier later in the day, but prices failed to rally to any appreciable extent, and several fresh losses were shown on balance. Exceptionally, Southern Preferred rebounded to 71½, a net rise of a point. Great Western Ordinary and L.M.S. Ordinary both dropped another ¼, the former to 45⅝ and the latter to 21⅝. The Prior Charges were mostly ½ lower. Other Rails also had a neglected appearance, with some of the Argentine descriptions on offer.

## INDUSTRIALS GIVE MIXED DISPLAY

## OILS AND RUBBERS DOWN AGAIN

Taken as a whole, the Industrial Market was extremely quiet, and price changes made an irregular showing. Some interesting dividends and profit figures were announced, but they had little influence on quotations. Morris Motors reports a substantial increase in net profit, but the dividend is reduced from 45 per cent. to 40 per cent., and the price of the shares was only a trifle harder on balance. A sharp fall in net profit announced by the Marconi Marine Co., and a reduction in the distribution, from 10 per cent. to 7½ per cent., also had little influence, the price of the shares, in fact, finishing a trifle above the overnight's level.

A small business in Coal, Iron and Steel shares had little effect on prices. The main changes were an advance of 9d. in Tube Investments, a loss of a similar amount in Swan Hunters, and a fall of 6d. in John Browns. Apart from Associated, which hardened to 40s. 6d., Electrical Equipments were on the dull side. British Insulated declined 1s., and lower prices also ruled for Callenders and Henleys.

Breweries again had an improving tendency, although the volume of transactions was not large. Bass Ratcliff rose 1s., Distillers put on 1s. 3d., and gains were also shown by Watney Defd. and Courage. Guinness repeated 79s. 3d. With the exception of Carreras "A," which fell 1/16, Tobaccos were firm.

Firmness prevailed in the Telephone and Wireless section. Cable and Wireless Pref. and Ord. rose to 58¾ and 58 respectively, and Marconi Marine strengthened to 25s. 9d. In the Stores group, Woolworths recovered 3d. to 60s. 3d., with Marks and Spencers unchanged at 43s. 3d., but Harrods were dull, with a fall of 6d. at 34s. 9d.

Ford Motors strengthened 7½d. to 18s., and Morris Motors were 1½d. better, while Rovers put on 3d. Raleigh Cycle Holdings showed continued firmness, and put on another 6d. to 54s. 9d. Among Aircraft shares, Faireys rose 6d., but Handley Page were that amount lower.

Rayons and Textiles were dull, and Miscellaneous descriptions provided nothing of special interest.

There was a pronounced reduction in the volume of transactions in Oil shares, business in most being reduced to a minimum. The trend of prices, with only a few exceptions, was downward. The only real feature was the continued weakness of Trinidad Petroleum Developments, which were again on offer owing to the adverse influence of the dividend limitation provision in the Budget. The price of T.P.D. shares further declined 2s. 3d. to 46s. 6d. Among the leaders Royal Dutch fell 1 to 27. Burmahs finished unchanged at 3 15/32, but Anglo-Iranians fell another 1/16 to 2 21/32. Mexican Eagles hardened to 6s. 4½d. Elsewhere Attocks recovered 1/16, but slightly lower prices ruled for British Controlled Preferences and London and Thames Haven.

Conditions in the Rubber share market underwent not the slightest improvement yesterday. As on the preceding day, the market had to contend with scattered selling orders, and with support limited quotations were again depressed in several instances. Anglo-Dutch, Malayalams and Rubber Trusts were among the leading issues which finished slightly lower.

### COMPANY NEWS

## MARCONI MARINE PAYS LESS

## MORRIS MOTORS ALSO CUT DIVIDEND

Marconi International Marine Communication Company is to pay a final divided of 5 per cent., less tax, at 7s. 5d. in the £. This makes 7½ per cent. for the year, and compares with 10 per cent. a year ago, when 2½ per cent. was paid by way of a cash bonus. Net profits are returned at £99,913 (against £130,790).

Net profits of Morris Motors, Ltd., for 1939 amounted to £1,992,880. This compares with £1,357,220 for the previous year, the balance being struck before deduction of tax and N.D.C. The year's Ordinary dividend is to be 40 per cent., against 45 per cent. for the three preceding years.

John Millingen and Co., Ltd., the Belfast shipowners and coal importers, is to pay a dividend of 4 per cent. on the Ordinary shares, the last payment on which was 5 per cent. for 1922-23.

## BELFAST EXCHANGE

War Loan 3½ per cent., 99 15/16, 1/16, ⅛, 100, 100 1/16, ⅛, 100⅛, 3/16; 3½ Conversion Loan, 100⅛, ⅛; Westminster Bank (Partly), 78s. 3d.; Coats, 37s. 6d.; Lever and Unilever 8 per cent. 28s.; B.A. Tobaccos, 105s. 9d.; Rhodesia Broken Hill, 2s. 9d.; Shell Transports, 75s.; White Tomkins Ord. 35s. 9d. bid.

# LONDON CLOSING PRICES

* Ex div. † Ex rights ‡ Cum. div. ‖ Ex bonus

### BRITISH FUNDS, ETC.

| — | Closing | | Rise or fall |
|---|---|---|---|
| Consols 2½% | 74⅝ | 74⅞ | + ⅛ |
| Do 4% | 109¼ | 109½ | + ½ |
| 3½% War Loan | 100⅛ | 100¼* | + ½ |
| War Loan 3% fully paid | 100 | 100⅛ | + 1/16 |
| Funding Loan | 110⅞ | 111⅛ | + ⅜ |
| Victory Bonds | 110 | 101¼ | + ⅜ |
| 3% Conversion Loan | 101⅛ | 101⅜ | + ⅛ |
| 3½% do. | 100⅞ | 101⅛ | + ½ |
| 4½% do. | 101⅞ | 102⅛ | |
| 5% do | 108 9/16 | 108 13/16 | + 7/16 |
| 2¾% Land (1903) | 82 | 84 | + 1½ |
| I.F.S. 4½% Land Bonds | 111 | 113 | |
| India 3% | 81 | 83 | |
| Do. 3½% | 94 | 96 | |
| Local Loans | 87⅛ | 87⅜ | + ¼ |
| National Def 2½% | 99 15/16 | 100 3/16 | + 1/16 |

### COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

| | | Closing | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 32 | Arg. Gt. W 5% Db. | 45½ | 47½ | |
| 50½ | B.A. Mid. 4% Deb. | 65 | 67 | |
| 8½ | B.A. Gt. Southern | 8½ | 9½ | |
| 49 | Do 4% Deb | 65 | 68 | - ½ |
| 56½ | B.A. & Pac. 4% Db | 72 | 74 | |
| 29 | Do. Con 4½% Db. | 44 | 46 | - ½ |
| 5¼ | Buenos A. & West | 7 | 8 | |
| 40½ | Do 4% Deb. | 64 | 66 | - ½ |
| 4 | Canadian Pacific | 8¼ | 8¾ | |
| 62¼ | Do 4% Deb | 88 | 89 | |
| 49 | Cent. Arg. 4% Deb | 65½ | 67½ | - ½ |
| 50 | Do. 5% Db 79-81 | 72½ | 74½ | - ½ |
| 53½ | Cord. Cen. 1st Deb. | 73½ | 75½ | |
| 99 | Gd. Tr'k 4% Guar | 98 | 101 | |
| 21½ | San Paulo Ord. | 48 | 51 | |

### DOMINION AND COLONIAL STOCKS.

| — | Closing | | Rise or fall |
|---|---|---|---|
| Australia 5% 1945-75 | 105¼ | 106¼ | |
| Do 4% 1955-70 | 103½ | 104½ | |
| Do. 3¾% 1948-53 | 98 | 101 | |
| Canada 4% 1940-60 | 100¼ | 101½ | |
| N.S.W. 5% 1945-65 | 105½ | 106½ | + ¼ |
| Do 4% 1942-62 | 100 | 101 | + ½ |
| New Zealand 3% 1952-55 | 88½ | 89½ | + ¼ |
| Do. 5½% 1955-60 | 93 | 97 | |
| Nigeria 6% | 116¼ | 117¼ | |
| Queensland 5% 1940-60 | 100½ | 101½ | |
| S. African 5% 1954-64 | 92½ | 93½ | |
| Do 3½% 1955-65 | 100 | 101 | |
| S. Australian 5% 1945-75 | 105 | 106 | |
| Do. 4% 1940-60 | 100 | 101 | + ¼ |
| Victoria 4% 1940-60 | 99¼ | 100¼ | |
| Do. 5% 1945-75 | 105 | 106 | |
| W. Australian 5% 1945-75 | 104¼ | 105¼ | |
| Do 4% 1942-62 | 100 | 101 | + ¼ |

### FOREIGN STOCKS.

| Aug. 31 | | Closing | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 10½ | Braz. 6½% S.H. 27 | | 12* | |
| 15 | Do. 5% Fund. 98 | | 38¼ | - ½ |
| 12½ | Do 20 yr. Fdg. A | 35 | 41* | |
| 11½ | Do 40-yr. Fdg. B | 29 | 33* | |
| 50 | Chinese 4½% 98 | | 55½ | |
| 21 | Do 5% 1912 | | 23 | |
| 52 | Czecho-Slov. Bds. | | 40 | |
| 66 | Egyptian Unified | 75 | 78 | |
| 10¼ | French Ln. 4% | | 10 | |
| 49 | German Potash | | 28½ | - ½ |
| 39 | Japan 6% 1924 | | 53 | - ½ |
| 44 | Japan 5½% Conv. | | 60 | - ½ |
| — | Brazil 5% F. '14 | | 30 | - ½ |
| — | Chin. 5% 1913 | | 34 | - ½ |

### BRITISH RAILS.

| Aug. 31. | | Closing | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 26 | Great Western | 45¼ | 48¼ | - ¼ |
| 80 | Do 5% Pref. | 100 | 102 | + ½ |
| 11½ | L.M.S. Ord. | 21½ | 22 | - ¼ |
| 51½ | Do. 4% Pref. | 64½ | 66½ | - ½ |
| 77½ | Do. 5% Red Pf | 91 | 95 | |
| 36½ | Do. 4% Pf. 1923 | 53½ | 55½ | |
| 4 | L.N.E. 5% Pf. Ord | 5½ | 6 | - ¼ |
| 3 | Do Def. Ord. | 2⅞ | 3¼ | - 1/16 |
| 29½ | Do 4% 1st Pf. | 52 | 54 | - ½ |
| 9½ | Do 4% 2nd Pf. | 19 | 20½ | - ½ |
| 107 | Lon. Tran. 5% "A" | 116 | 119 | |
| 103 | Do 4½% "A" | 108 | 111 | |
| 102 | Do "B" | 108 | 111 | |
| 56 | Do "C" | 45 | 45 | |
| 56 | Southern Pf. Ord. | 70½ | 72½ | + 1 |
| 11¼ | Do Def. Ord. | 19⅞ | 20⅜ | - ¼ |
| 80 | Do. 5% Pref. | 100 | 102 | - ½ |

### BANKS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bank of England | 336 | 342 | |
| Bank of Montreal | 45 | 49* | + ½ |
| Barclay "A" | 9⅛ | 9¾ | |
| Lloyds | 50/3 | 51/9 | +0/3 |
| Martins £20 (£2½ paid) | 8 | 8½ | |
| Midland | 8 11/16 | 8⅞ | + 1/16 |
| Nat. Prov. (£5 14/- pd.) | 44/0 | 46/6 | +0/9 |
| Standard of South Africa | 13¼ | 13¾ | |
| Westminster | 62/6 | 66/6 | |
| Do £4 (£1 paid) | 77/0 | 78/6 | |
| London and S. American | 5¼ | 5¾ | - ¼ |

### BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 6 1/16 | Bass Ratcliff Ord | 123/0 | 125/0 | + 1/0 |
| 17/0 | Brewers of Van. | 23/0 | 25/0* | |
| 93/0 | Distillers Ord. | 68/0 | 69/0 | + 1/3 |
| 93/9 | Guinness Ord. | 78/6 | 80/0 | |
| 4⅞ | Ind Coope Allsopp | 71/0 | 73/0 | |
| 60/0 | Watney Combe Df | 46/0 | 48/0 | |
| — | Courage Ord. | 53/6 | 55/0 | +0/3 |
| — | Mitchell-Butlers | 70/6 | 72/0 | + 1/3 |
| — | S.Af. Breweries | 111/0 | 113/0 | +0/6 |

### DRAPERY AND STORES.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 11/6 | Burton (M.) Ord. | 10/6 | 11/6 | |
| 16/6 | Jamage (A. W.) | 12/6 | 13/6 | |
| 51/6 | Harrods | 34/3 | 35/3 | -0/6 |
| 2⅞ | Marks & Spcr. (5/-) | 42/9 | 43/9 | |
| 21/3 | U.K. Bazaars "A" | 25/0 | 27/6 | |
| 62/6 | Woolworth Ord | 59/9 | 60/9 | +0/3 |

### ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENTS.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 39/0 | Assoc. El. Indus. | 40/3 | 40/9 | +0/3 |
| 63/6 | Brit. Insul. Cables | 67/0 | 69/0 | -1/0 |
| 61/3 | Callendars Cable | 63/6 | 65/6 | -0/6 |
| 17/9 | Crompton Park. | 17/6 | 19/6 | |
| 34/6 | English Electric | 31/3 | 32/3 | |
| 15/6 | Ever Ready (5/-) | 27/0 | 28/0 | -0/6 |
| 75/0 | General Electric | 79/9 | 80/9 | |
| 16/0 | Henley's Tel. (5/-) | 19/6 | 20/0 | -0/3 |
| 21/6 | Siemens | 22/0 | 23/0 | |

### ELECTRIC SUPPLY.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 29/6 | City of London | 24/6 | 26/6 | |
| 39/0 | County of London | 36/6 | 37/6 | |
| 23/0 | Edmundsons | 24/9 | 25/9 | |
| — | North Eastern | 28/9 | 29/9 | +0/3 |

### INSURANCE.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 22 | Alliance New | 23 | 24 | |
| 25 | L. & Lan. Fire £5 (£2 paid) | 24½ | 25½ | |
| 17⅞ | Pearl (£1) | 14⅛ | 15⅛ | |
| 12 | Phœnix £10 (£1 p) | 12⅛ | 12⅝ | |
| 31 | Prudential | 25¼ | 25¾ | |
| | Royal Exchange | 7¾ | 8¼ | |
| 7¾ | Royal £1 (10/- p.) | 7⅞ | 8⅜ | |
| 75/6 | Sun Life £1 (f.p.) | 73/6 | 75/6 | |
| — | Atlas £5 | 11½ | 12½ | |

### IRON, COAL AND STEEL.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 16/3 | Allied Iron | ⅝ | ¾ | |
| 46/0 | Babcock & Wilcox | 46/0 | 47/0 | |
| 5/9 | Baldwins | 5/1½ | 5/4½ | |
| 43/9 | Bolsover Colliery | 50/0 | 51/0 | |
| 25/0 | Brown (J.) (10/-) | 31/6 | 32/6 | -0/6 |
| 26/6 | B.S.A. | 22/9 | 23/9 | |
| 7/0 | Cammell L'rd (5/-) | 6/10½ | 7/4½ | -0/1½ |
| 22 0½ | Colvilles Ord. (£1) | 21/3 | 22/3 | -0/1½ |
| 7/4 | Consett Iron | 6/1½ | 6/7½ | |
| 86/0 | Cory (William) | 83/3 | 84/3 | |
| 27/0 | Dorman Long | 22/6 | 23/6 | |
| 66/3 | Firth Brown | 3½ | 3¾ | - ⅛ |
| 23/9 | Guest, Keen | 23/9 | 24/9 | |
| 25/0 | Hadfields (10/-) | 25/3 | 26/0 | +0/1½ |
| 10/9 | Pease & Partners | 11/7½ | 11/10½ | -0/1½ |
| 16/0 | Powell Duffryn | 21/0 | 21/9 | |
| 18/3 | Pressed Steel | 16/9 | 17/9 | |
| 26/6 | Ruston & Hornsby | 29/4½ | 29/7½ | |
| 30/6 | S. Durham Steel | 30/6 | 31/6 | |
| 41/3 | Staveley | 50/6 | 51/6 | -0/3 |
| 42/9 | Stewts & Lloyds Df. | 45/0 | 46/0* | +0/3 |
| 3/3 | Thomas (R.) | 3/0 | 3/6 | -0/1½ |
| 22/6 | United Steel | 23/6 | 23/9 | +0/1½ |
| 17/4½ | Vickers Ord. | 17/9 | 18/0 | +0/1½ |

### LAND AND INVESTMENT.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 15/6 | Forestal Land | 25/9 | 26/9 | |
| 17/6 | Hudson's Bay | 20/6 | 21/6 | -0/3 |
| 23/3 | Sudan Plantations | 31/0 | 32/0 | |

### MOTORS AND AEROPLANES.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1⅝ | Austin Motor (5/-) | 15/0 | 16/0 | |
| 5/6 | Boulton & Paul | ¼ | ⅜ | |
| 15/6 | Bristol Aero (10/-) | 14/6 | 15/6 | |
| 36/0 | De Havilland | 33/6 | 34/6 | |
| 16/0 | Fairey Aviation | 14/9 | 15/9 | +0/6 |
| 16/6 | Ford Motors | 17/6 | 18/6 | +0/7½ |
| 1⅛ | Handley Page Pf | 1⅛ | 1¼ | |
| 15/6 | Hawker Sidd. (5/-) | 12/6 | 13/6 | |
| 4⅜ | Leyland Motors | 3⅜ | 3 11/16 | |
| 30/6 | Morris Motors | 25/10½ | 26/4½ | +0/1½ |
| 8 1/16 | Rolls Royce | 4 1/16 | 4 5/16* | |
| 15/0 | Standard | 11/6 | 12/6 | |
| 2 9/32 | Tilling (Thomas) | 2 3/32 | 2 7/32 | |

### NEWSPAPERS.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 15/3 | Allied News Ord. | 10/6 | 11/6 | +0/3 |
| 7/0 | Assoc. News Def. | 5/9 | 6/9 | |
| 17/6 | Daily Mail Trust | 12/9 | 13/9 | -0/3 |
| 16/0 | S. Pictorial Ord. | 14/6 | 15/6 | |

### OILS.

| Aug. 31. | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 3¼ | Anglo-Iranian Ord. | 2 21/32 | 2 25/32 | - 1/16 |
| 28/0 | Do. 8% 1st Pref. | 29/6 | 30/6 | -0/3 |
| 29/6 | Do. 9% 2nd Pref. | 30/6 | 32/6 | +0/6 |
| 28/3 | Apex Trinidad | 27/0 | 27/9 | |
| 2½ | Attock | 1 15/16 | 1 31/32 | + 1/16 |
| 3½ | Burmah | 3 7/16 | 3½ | |
| 7/0 | Canadian Eagle | 7/6 | 8/6 | |
| 3 4½ | Kern Oil (3/4) | 3/3 | 3/9 | |
| 1 9/16 | Lobitos | 1⅛ | 2 | |
| 16/0 | Lon. & Th. Hav. | 9/6 | 10/0 | -0/3 |
| 5/1½ | Mexican Eagle | 6/1½ | 6/7½ | +0/1½ |
| 4/6 | Phoenix | 3/6 | 4/6 | |
| 35½ | Royal Dutch | 26⅞ | 27⅛ | - 1 |
| 4 9/32 | Shell Tr. & Tport | 3 11/32 | 3 15/32 | - 1/32 |
| 4 9/32 | Trinidad Lease. | 3 23/32 | 3 27/32 | |
| 48/0 | Trinidad Pet. Dev. | 46/0 | 47/0 | -2/3 |
| 1 | V.O.C. Holdings | 1 11/32 | 1 13/32 | |
| — | Brit. C'trolled Pf. | 4/6 | | -0/1½ |
| — | C. Eagle 7% 1stP | 13/9 | 14/3* | |
| — | M. Eagle 7% 1stP | 8/6 | 9/0* | |

### RUBBERS.

| Aug. 31. | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 23/4½ | Anglo-Dutch | | 20/10½ | -0/1½ |
| 7/6 | Anglo-Malay | 7/6 | | -0/3 |
| 2/3 | Bukit Mertajam | 2/3 | | |
| 20/7½ | Grand Central | | | -0/1½ |
| 20/7½ | Highlands | 23/1½ | | -0/1½ |
| 7/4½ | Jugra Lands | 8/3 | | |
| 19/4½ | Kuala Lumpur | 19/4½ | | |
| 3/4½ | London Asiatic | 3/0 | | |
| 15/10½ | Malacca | 15/6 | | |
| 27/0 | Malayalam | 32/6 | | -0/1½ |
| 2/7½ | Merlimau Pegoh | 2/9 | | |
| 11/0 | Orient Trust | 11/10½ | | |
| 1/1½ | Rambutan | 1/3 | | |
| 20/0 | Rubber Trust | 26/9 | | -0/3 |
| 15/7½ | Tanjong | 15/7½ | | |
| 18/0 | Tanjong Malim | 18/9 | | |
| 45/3 | United Sua Betong | 43/9 | | -1/3 |
| 6/4½ | Vallambrosa | 6/6 | | |

| | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Allagar | 0/9* | | Old Hope | 18/0 | | |
| All. Sum | 13/9 | -0/1½ | Java Ami | 12/6 | -0/7½ |
| A. Java 1/- | 0/6 | | Patalling | 29/1½ | -1/3 |
| Batu Tiga | 25/0 | | Sedenak | 23/9 | |
| Con. Perak | 1/7½ | | S. Siput | 2/3 | |
| Ch'rs'nese | 1/7½ | | Taiping | 1/0 | |
| Cheviot | 3/1½ | -0/1½ | Tr'ng'ono | 16/1½ | |
| Gleaf | 2/3 | | Un. Ser. | 0/7½ | |
| Bilalonga | 10/7½ | -0/4½ | Vam Seng | 1/10½ | |

### REFRESHMENT AND FOOD.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 10/0 | Aerated Bread | 9/0 | 9/0 | |
| 17/6 | Bovril Def. | 23/6 | 24/6 | |
| 4/4½ | Home & Col. (4/-) | 3/6 | 4/0 | |
| 10/7½ | Internat. Tea (5/-) | 10/6 | 11/0 | +0/3 |
| 5⅛ | Lyons (J.) | 4⅛ | 4⅜ | |
| 2/3 | Maypole Def. | 1/10½ | 2/1½ | |
| 4/6 | Scribbans | 6/3 | 7/3 | |
| 6 9/16 | Schweppes Ord. | 1 15/32 | 1 17/32 | |

### TEAS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Amalgamated Estates | 30/3 | | -1/3 |

### SHIPPING.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 3/6 | Coast Lines | 6/9 | 9/3 | |
| 5¼ | Clan Line | 4⅞ | 5⅜ | |
| 3/1½ | E.D. Realisation | 1/3 | 2/3 | |
| 18/3 | Furness Withy | 17/9 | 18/9 | |
| 18/0 | P. & O. Def. (£1) | 21/0 | 22/0* | +0/3 |
| 3/1½ | R.M. Realisation | 2/6 | 8/0 | |

### TOBACCOS.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 4 15/32 | Brit. Amer. Tob. | 5¼ | 5⅜ | + 1/32 |
| 6¼ | Carreras "A" | 4 15/16 | 5 3/16 | - 1/16 |
| 18/9 | Do. "B" (2/6) | 18/0 | 19/0 | -0/3 |
| 6¼ | Gallaher | 5¾ | 5¾ | |
| 6 7/16 | Imp. Tobacco | 5¾ | 5⅞ | + 1/16 |
| 3⅞ | Do. Canada | 3⅛ | 3⅜ | |
| 2⅜ | Tobacco Tst. Ord. | 2 13/16 | 3 1/16* | |
| | Utd. Tobacco (S.) | 5⅞ | 5⅞ | + 1/16 |

### TEXTILES AND ART. SILK.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2/4½ | Bleachers | 4/3 | 4/9 | -0/1½ |
| 3/0 | Bradford Dyers | 4/10½ | 5/4½ | -0/3 |
| 6/0 | British Celanese | 6/4½ | 6/7½ | |
| 4/0 | Calico Printers | 6/0 | 6/6 | -0/3 |
| 3½ | Can. Celanese | 8⅛ | 8⅜ | - ⅛ |
| 29/0 | Coats | 37/6 | 38/0 | -0/4½ |
| 28/9 | Courtaulds | 37/3 | 38/0 | |
| 25/7½ | Eng. Sew. Cotton | 30/0 | 31/10½* | |
| 2/6 | Fine Spinners | 5/0 | 5/6 | |
| 4/0 | Lister Ord. | 6/3 | 7/0 | |
| 2 7/16 | Patons & Baldwins | 2⅞ | 3 | |
| — | Brit. Cel. 2nd Pf. | 18/3 | 19/3 | -0/3 |

### TELEGRAPHS, TELEPHONES

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0/10½ | Baird Tel. Pref. | 0/1½ | 0/7½ | |
| 1/1½ | Do. Def. | 0/3 | 0/9 | |
| 84 | C.&W'les. 5½% Pf. | 97¾ | 98¾ | + ¼ |
| 49 | Do. New Ord. | 57½ | 58½ | + ¼ |
| 87 | Do. 4% Funded | 98 | 101 | |
| 28/0 | Marconi Marine | 25/0 | 26/0 | +0/3 |
| 6½ | Radio Corp. | 6⅞ | 7½ | |
| — | A-American Def. | 22 | 24 | +1 |

### MISCELLANEOUS INDUSTRIALS.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 3 9/16 | Assoc. Cement | 2 9/32 | 2 13/32 | |
| 10/3 | Assoc. Brit. Pic. | 8/3 | 9/3 | |
| 25/6 | Beecham's Pills | 1 17/32 | 1 21/32 | |
| 7/9 | Do. Def. (5/-) | 8/3 | 8/6 | |
| 42/3 | Boots Pure Drug | 38/3 | 39/3 | -0/6 |
| 20/3 | Borax Con. Def. | 29/0 | 30/0 | +0/3 |
| 7¾ | Brazilian Traction | 11 | 11¼ | - ½ |
| 2 11/16 | Brit. Aluminium | 50/6 | 51/6 | +0/3 |
| 34/0 | British Match | 33/3 | 34/3 | |
| 20/3 | Brit. Oil & Cake | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| 3 3/32 | Brit. Oxygen Ord. | [illegible] | 2 15/16 | - 1/16 |
| 27/6 | Brit. Plaster Bd. | 9/3 | 10/3 | |
| [illegible] | Brit. Portland Cem. | 2 11/16 | 2 15/16 | |
| 24/0 | Brit. P. & Light | 27/0 | 29/0 | |
| [illegible] | Cerebos Ord. | [illegible] | [illegible] | - 1/32 |
| 10/7½ | Crittall's Mfg. | 6/6 | 7/6 | |
| 27/0 | Dunlop Rubber | 32/3 | 33/3 | -0/3 |
| 25/0 | Eastwoods | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| 9/4½ | Elec. & Musical | 9/0 | 9/6 | |
| 1¼ | Do. 6% Pref. | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| 2⅛ | Finlay (James) | 2⅛ | [illegible] | |
| 0/0 | Harland & Wolff | 13/6 | 13/9 | |
| 20/4½ | Imp. Chemicals | 31/3 | 31/9 | |
| 6/6 | Imp. Smelting | 12/3 | 12/9 | |
| [illegible] | Int. Combustion | 5½ | [illegible] | |
| 53½ | Internat. Nickel | 46¾ | 47¼ | - 1¼ |
| 32/6 | Lever Bros. Ord. | 29/9 | 29/9 | |
| 33/0 | Lever N.V. Ord. | 1¼ | [illegible] | |
| 32/9 | London Brick | 29/9 | 30/0 | +0/3 |
| [illegible] | Morea | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| 6/0 | Pye Radio Def. | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| 5⅛ | Reckitt Ord. | [illegible] | [illegible] | +0/1½ |
| 59/3 | Spillers Ord. | 59/0 | 60/6 | |
| 62/6 | Tate & Lyle | 64/3 | 65/6 | |
| 32/6 | Triplex Glass | 20/9 | 21/9 | |
| 87/0 | Tube Invest. | 94/3 | 96/3 | +0/9 |
| 4 | Turner & Newall | 64/6 | 65/6 | |
| 23/6 | United Molasses | 26/4½ | 26/7½ | +0/1½ |
| [illegible] | White, Tomkins | 1⅛ | 1¼ | |
| — | Swedish Match B | 9/9 | 10/9 | +0/3 |
| — | Wallpaper Def. | [illegible] | [illegible] | |

## LITTLE INTEREST IN MINES

## NO DECIDED TENDENCY IN KAFFIRS

Nowhere in the Mining market yesterday was there much of interest going on, and movements, consequently, were not usually impressive.

A few irregular alterations were recorded in Kaffirs. Luipaards, Simmers, Marievale and Modder "B" all left off a few pence on the wrong side, but there were still buyers about for Daggas and East Daggas. Consolidated Main Reef at 2 29/32 were also a good spot, while Crown Mines strengthened fractionally. The Finance shares and Developing Mines were still claiming only meagre attention.

West Africans, after the recent set-back, generally finished a shade firmer. In the Westralians, Great Boulder at 7s. 6d. were dull, on the suggestion in the company's quarterly report that the company is likely to be severely affected by taxation.

In the Nigerian Tins, Amalgamated Nigerian went back to 7s. 7½d., there being some liquidation induced by uncertainty of how the company may be placed under the dividend limitation. Closing prices:—

### SOUTH AFRICAN.

| Aug. 31. | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1⅝ | Anglo-A. Corp. | 1 21/32 | 1 23/32 | |
| — | Anglo-French | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| 7/0 | Blyvoor (10/-) | 5/6 | 6/0 | -0/3 |
| — | Brakpan | 2⅛ | [illegible] | + 1/32 |
| 14½ | Cent Mining | 12 | 13 | |
| 2 | City Deep | 2 3/32 | 2 5/32 | |
| 2⅛ | Cons. Goldfields | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| 3⅛ | Cons. M. Reef | 2 29/32 | [illegible] | |
| — | Cons. M. Sel. | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| 15 15/16 | Crown Mines | 14 15/16 | 15 1/16 | + 1/16 |
| 1⅝ | Daggafontein 5/- | [illegible] | [illegible] | + 1/32 |
| 1⅛ | Durban Deep | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| 2½ | E. Daggafontein | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| 11⅛ | East Geduld | 11⅛ | 11⅜ | |
| 2 7/16 | E. Rand Prop. | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| 4 | Geduld | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| 1 5/16 | Golden Deep | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| 1½ | Gen Mining | 12 | [illegible] | |
| 1¼ | Govt. Areas | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| 4 | Grootvlei | 5 1/16 | [illegible] | |
| 1⅞ | Johan. Invests. | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| 2 1/16 | Kleinfontein | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| [illegible] | Knight's | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| 8/6 | Langlaagte E. | 10/0 | 10/6 | |
| 10/0 | Libanon 10/- | | 11/0 | |
| 18/6 | Luipards Vlei | 20/6 | 21/0 | -0/3 |
| 16/0 | Marievale (10/-) | 18/4½ | 18/10½ | -0/1½ |
| 1⅛ | Modderfontein | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| [illegible] | Modder East | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| 2/6 | New Cent Wit. | | 1/3 | |
| [illegible] | New S. Areas | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| 2⅛ | Nigel | 2 13/16 | 2 15/16 | |
| 2¼ | Nourse | 2¼ | 2 5/16 | |
| 6/3 | Palmietkuil | 3/9 | 4/3 | -0/3 |
| 9½ | Rand Mines | 7 9/16 | 7 13/16 | |
| [illegible] | Rand Select | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| [illegible] | Randfontein | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| [illegible] | Robinson Deep B | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| [illegible] | Rose Deep | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| 18/6 | Simmer & Jack | 20/6 | 21/0 | -0/3 |
| 3¾ | S.A. Lands | 5 | 5⅛ | |
| 7/6 | S.A. Towns | 6/6 | 7/6 | |
| 1 3/16 | South West Afr. | 1⅛ | 1¼ | + 1/16 |
| 3/9 | Spaarwater | 2/10½ | 3/4½ | |
| [illegible] | Springs | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| 10⅛ | Sub. Nigel | 9 15/16 | 10 1/16 | |
| 7½ | Union Corp | 7 9/16 | 7 13/16 | |
| 1 5/16 | Van D. Con 10/- | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| [illegible] | Van Ryn | 12/6 | 13/6 | |
| [illegible] | Do Deep | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| [illegible] | Venterspost | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| [illegible] | Vereeniging | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| [illegible] | Vlakfontein 10/- | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| 11/6 | W. Holdings | 16/0 | 16/6 | |
| [illegible] | West R. Con. | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| [illegible] | Western Reefs | 18/3 | 18/9 | +0/3 |
| 2 1/16 | West Springs | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| [illegible] | West Wit Areas | [illegible] | [illegible] | - 1/32 |
| [illegible] | Witwatersrand Dp | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| — | Modder B., 5/0 | 16/9 | 17/9 | -0/3 |

### DIAMOND.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 5⅛ | De Beers Def. | 7¾ | 8 |
| 8¼ | Do Pref. | 10½ | 10¾ |

### MISCELLANEOUS.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 6/1½ | Burma Corp | 9/0 | 9/6 | |
| 30/0 | Champion Reef | 34/6 | 35/6 | -0/3 |

### RHOD. AND EAST AFRICAN.

| Aug. 31 | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 13/32 | Cam & Motor | 1 15/32 | 1 17/32 | |
| 19/9 | Chartered B.S.A. | 20/0 | 20/6 | |
| 27/0 | Globe-Phœnix | 24/0 | 25/0* | |
| 3/3 | London Rhod. | 3/9 | 4/0 | |
| 11/0 | Rezende | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| 21/6 | Rhod. A. Am. | 18/6 | 19/6 | |
| 14/0 | Rhod. Selection | 12/6 | 13/0 | |
| 1⅛ | Rhokana | 9⅞ | 10⅛* | + 1/16 |
| 15/6 | Roan Antelope | 14/6 | 15/0 | |
| 13/0 | Selection Trust | 10/0 | 10/6 | |
| 3¼ | Victoria Falls Ord. | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| 15/0 | Wankie Col. | 10/0 | 11/0 | |
| — | Tanganyika Cons. | 5/0 | 5/6 | -0/3 |

### AUSTRALIAN.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2½ | B. Hill Prop. | 35/9 | 36/0* | |
| 19/0 | Do. South New | 21/6 | 22/6 | |
| 8/0 | Great Boulder | 7/3 | 7/9 | -0/3 |
| 15/6 | Lake View Star | 19/9 | 20/6 | |
| 13/6 | Lake View Inv. | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| [illegible] | Nth. Broken Hill | 33/0 | 34/0 | |
| [illegible] | Sons of Gwalia | 33/0 | 34/0 | |
| [illegible] | South Kalgurli | [illegible] | [illegible] | - 1/32 |
| 6/0 | Sulphide Ord. | 6/6 | 7/0 | |
| [illegible] | Zinc Ord. (10/-) | [illegible] | [illegible] | |
| 2/0 | Wiluna Gold | 4/6 | 5/3 | |
| — | Zinc Pref. | [illegible] | 6¼ | + ⅛ |

### COPPER.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 10½ | Rio Tinto (£5) | 13¾ | 14¼ + ¼ |

### TIN.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 4/6 | Amal. Tin | 7/4½ | 7/10½ | -0/3 |
| 17/6 | Ayer Hitam | 27/3 | 27/9 | |
| 7/9 | Bisichi | 8/3 | 9/0 | |
| 7/6 | Gopeng | 8/3 | 8/9 | |
| 17/9 | Ipoh | 24/9 | 25/9 | |
| 7/9 | Kamunting | 10/6 | 11/0 | |
| 7/6 | Kram't Pul | 8/3 | 8/9 | |
| 3/0 | London Tin | 3/9 | 4/3 | -0/1½ |
| 25/7½ | Malayan T.D. | 36/0 | 37/0 | |
| 11/3 | Pahang (5/-) | 15/0 | 16/0 | -0/3 |
| 14/9 | Petaling | 21/0 | 22/0 | |
| 16/3 | Tronoh (5/-) | 23/6 | 24/0 | +0/3 |
| — | Siamese | 24/0 | 25/0 | +0/3 |

### WEST AFRICAN.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 11/9 | Ariston | 6/3 | 6/9 | |
| 3 1/16 | Ashanti (4/-) | 3 1/16 | 3 | + 1/32 |
| 25/0 | Bibiani | 20/0 | 22/6 | +0/9 |
| 16/0 | G. Coast Sel. | 13/4½ | 13/10½ | +0/1½ |
| 1⅜ | Kwahu (4/-) | [illegible] | [illegible] | + 1/16 |
| 9/0 | Marlu Gold | 7/0 | 7/6 | +0/3 |

At yesterday's meeting of Lancegaye Safety Glass (Ireland), Ltd., the Chairman (Mr. N. M. Purcell) said that the trading for the past year showed a considerable turn for the better, the final gross trading profit being £1,085, against a loss of £6,578 for the preceding eighteen months. The Board was developing the trade in Black Toughened glass for shop-fronts, which, while showing good results, will naturally be affected by the economies necessitated by the war.

No charge appears in the accounts for directors' fees, in order to assist the company through its present crisis.

The report and statement of accounts were adopted.

# LEADERS LOWER ON WALL STREET

## COLOURLESS SESSION

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
*NEW YORK, Tuesday.*

The Stock Market to-day was colourless and slow, with movements indecisive, while conflicting advices from Scandinavia restrained activity. At the same time fairly encouraging earnings and business news kept selling at a minimum. Meanwhile, with Wall street extremely sensitive to day-to-day news, the immediate trend of the market is uncertain. A total of 759 issues was traded in the turnover of 590,000 shares. Advances were registered by 240, and declines by 298.

The market latterly backed away under mild pressure, including a little short selling, with the leaders finally mostly fractionally lower. The close was easy.

Sterling exchange closed 1½c. down at $3.51⅛.

Silver was unchanged at 34⅝c.

| | Tues | Mon |
|---|---|---|
| Call Money | 1% | 1% |
| London Cables | 3.51⅛ | 3.53¼ |
| Montreal Cables | 4.14⅞ | 4.14¾ |
| Paris Cables | 1.99⅞ | 2.00¼ |

| P[ar]ity | Stocks | Closing Bid Tues. | Mon. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 6 1/16 | Baltimore and Ohio | 4⅞ | 5 |
| 6 13/16 | Canadian Pacific | 5⅛ | 5½ |
| 66 7/16 | Louisville and Nashville | 55¼ | 55 |
| 19½ | N.Y. Central | 15⅞ | 15¾ |
| 271 11/16 | Norfolk and W. Common | 218⅝ | 218¼ |
| 27⅝ | Pennsylvania | 21⅞ | 22 |
| 19 1/16 | Reading | 15 | 15 |
| 15 | Southern Pacific | 12⅛ | 12⅛ |
| 19⅛ | Southern Railway | 15⅞ | 16 |
| 117 13/16 | Union Pacific | 95⅛ | 95½ |
| | INDUSTRIALS. | | |
| 222⅞ | Allied Chemical | 179½ | 178⅞ |
| 23 11/16 | American Locomotive | 19⅛ | 19⅜ |
| 26⅛ | American Metal | 21⅜ | 21¾ |
| 142⅛ | American Canning | 114¾ | 114⅝ |
| 61 5/16 | American Smelting | 50 | 50¼ |
| 213 11/16 | American Tel. and Tel. | 172½ | 172¾ |
| 36 11/16 | Anaconda Copper | 29⅜ | 29⅞ |
| 1⅞ | Auburn Auto | 1½ | 1½ |
| 102⅜ | Bethlehem Steel | 82⅝ | 83⅝ |
| 84⅞ | Case (J. I.) | 68½ | 68½ |
| 106 11/16 | Chrysler Corp. | 86⅛ | 86⅛ |
| 193⅞ | Eastman Kodak | 156½ | 155½ |
| 46¼ | General Electric | 37¼ | 37 |
| 67 5/16 | General Motors | 54¼ | 53⅝ |
| 36⅞ | International Nickel | 29¾ | 29⅞ |
| 3 15/16 | Do. Tel. and Tel. | 3⅛ | 3⅛ |
| 43¼ | Kennecott Corp. | 34⅞ | 35¼ |
| 8 5/16 | Radio Corporation | 6⅝ | 6½ |
| 15½ | Shell Union | 12⅛ | 12½ |
| 39 15/16 | U.S. Rubber | 32¼ | 31½ |
| 75¼ | U.S. Steel Common | 60⅞ | 61¼ |
| 159 | Do. Preferred | 123½ | 123½ |
| 49 11/16 | Woolworth | 40⅜ | 40⅞ |
| 53¼ | Silver Com. Bars | 34⅝ | 34⅝ |
| 9⅛ | Brazilian Traction | 6⅞ | 7¼ |
| 22⅝ | B.A. Tobacco Coupon | 18¼ | 18¼ |
| 1⅞ | Hydro Electric | 1½ | 1½ |
| | BONDS. | | |
| — | U.S. Treasury 3¾% '46-56 | — | — |
| 19 5/16 | 7% German External Loan | 15½ | 14¼ |

### DOW JONES AVERAGES

| | 20 Rails. | 30 Indus. | 15 Util. |
|---|---|---|---|
| April 30 | 30.69 | 148.43 | 25.10 |
| April 29 | 30.74 | 148.41 | 24.98 |
| A year ago | 25.86 | 128.45 | 22.06 |

### MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

| Exg. Equiv. | — | Closing Bid Tues. | Mon. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 199 | Bell. Tel. (Canada) | 160 | 165 |
| 10⅛ | Brazilian T.L. and P. | 9½ | 9⅞ |
| 31⅞ | B.C. Power "A" | 28½ | 28½ |
| 2½ | Do. "B" | 2⅜ | 2¾ |
| 14⅞ | Canadian Car and F. | 12⅞ | 13⅛ |
| 23½ | Do. Preferred | 21 | 23½ |
| 40¼ | Canadian Celanese Com. | 36 | 36½ |
| 142⅛ | Do. Pref. | 127 | 127 |
| 7 | Canadian Cement | 6¼ | 6⅛ |
| 107⅜ | Do. Preferred | 96 | 96⅞ |
| 2½ | Canadian Indus. Alc. Com. | 2¼ | 2¼ |
| 2½ | Do. "B" | 2¼ | 2¼ |
| 9⅛ | Canadian Pacific | 8¼ | 8¼ |
| 8 13/16 | Cockshutt Plow | 7⅞ | 7⅞ |
| 44¼ | Con. M. and Smelt. | 40 | 40 |
| 30⅛ | Distillers' Seagrams | 27⅛ | 27⅛ |
| 39⅞ | Dom. Bridge | 35 | 35† |
| 99 13/16 | Dom. Textiles | 89¼ | 89 |
| 14¼ | Imperial Oil | 12⅛ | 12⅝ |
| 17⅛ | Imperial Tobacco (Canada) | 15¾ | 15⅝ |
| 42¼ | International Nickel of Canada | 38¼ | 38 |
| 22⅞ | International Petroleum | 20¼ | 20¼ |
| 5⅞ | Massey Harris | 5 | 5⅛ |
| 34⅛ | Montreal Light and Heat | 30½ | 30¼ |
| | Do. Notes and Certs. | | |
| 38 5/16 | National Brewers | 34¼ | 34 |
| 70⅛ | National Steel Car | 63 | 63 |
| 33 5/16 | Ogilvie Flour Mills | 30 | 30½ |
| 11 13/16 | Power Corp. (Canada) | 10 | 10 |
| 18 7/16 | Quebec Power | 16½ | 16⅛ |
| 24⅝ | Shawinigan Water | 22 | 22 |
| 14⅜ | Southern Canadian Power | 13 | 13† |
| 87¼ | Steel Co. of Canada | 78 | 78 |
| 15⅞ | Hollinger Mines | 13¾ | 13¾ |
| 76⅞ | Noranda Mines | 68¾ | 68¼ |
| 227⅛ | Bank of Montreal | 208 | 208† |
| 337⅞ | Bank of Nova Scotia | 302 | 305 |
| 189⅛ | Canadian Bank of Commerce | 169 | 169 |
| 194⅛ | Royal Bank of Canada | 174 | 176† |
| | CURB PRICES. | | |
| 47⅝ | Hiram Walker | 42½ | 42½ |
| 27⅞ | Lake Shore Mines | 24½ | 24 |
| 52 13/16 | McIntyre Porcupine | 47¼‡ | 47¾ |

† Ex dividend. ‡ Ex. coupon.

### NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKETS

Wheat easy.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| No. 1 Northern Manitoba, spot, c.i.f. New York | 102⅞ | 103¾ |
| No. 2 Manitoba, spot, c.i.f. New York | 101⅛ | 102¼ |
| No. 2 hard winter, spot | 130½ | 131¾ |
| No. 2 red winter, spot | 127¾ | 129 |

**Maize** barely steady. Western No. 2 mixed spot 80⅛.

**Oats** steady. No. 2 White per 36 lbs. c.i.f. New York 54⅛.

**Rye** easy. No. 2 spot f.o.b. New York 86⅛.

**Barley** steady, unchanged.

**Flour** steady, unchanged.

**Lard** easy. Prime Western steam loose spot 6.05, Middle West 6.70, 6.80.

**Petroleum** and **Burlaps** steady.

**Tallow** steady. Spot extra loose 5, special extra 4⅞, in tierces 5⅛. Futures steady.

**Cottonseed Oil**—Futures closed steady. May 6.78, July 6.84, September 6.91, October 6.91.

**Shellac**—T.N. 13¼.

**Turpentine**—Spot 32⅛. Savannah spot 27⅜.

**Straits Tin** quiet, 15 to 10 points down.

**American Standard Copper** steady, 1 point lower.

**Coffee** on spot closed quiet, with both Rio and Santos unchanged. Futures basis Santos No. 4: Closing Options—May 5.69 (5.70), July 5.79 (5.81), September 5.89 (5.90), December 5.98 (5.99), March 6.07 (6.08).

**Cocoa**—Spot 6⅛. Futures closed easy, 10 to 8 points down.

**Sugar** on spot closed steady and unchanged at 2.85. The market closed barely steady, with the new contract ½ point to 1½ points down and the old contract 2 to 4 points lower.

**Cotton** on spot closed 5 points up at 10.99 (nominal). Futures opened steady. The close was steady, with the old contract unchanged to 5 points up, and the new contract 2 points higher to 1 point lower. The new contract spot price finished 5 points up at 11.19 (nominal). At New Orleans spot closed unchanged at 10.64 (nominal).

**Rubber Futures** (No. 1 contract)—Closing options—May 18.97 (19.25), July 18.65 (18.87), September 18.35 (18.57), October 18.21 (18.51). Outside prices—First latex thin crepe spot 18⅞ buyers, smoked ribbed sheets spot 19⅛ buyers, 19⅛ sellers, May-June 18⅞ buyers, July-September 18⅝ buyers, 18⅞ sellers.

(Previous prices in parentheses.)

### OUTSIDE U.S. MARKETS

**Kansas City**—Wheat, spot steady, ½c. up. Futures easy, 1⅛c. down. No. 2 hard winter spot 109. Closing options—May, 65⅛, July 64½.

**Minneapolis**—Wheat easy, with spot ⅛c. down and futures ⅜c. to ⅛c. down. No. 1 Northern spring spot 106⅛. Closing options—May 103⅜, July 103⅛.

### WINNIPEG GRAINS

**Wheat**—Futures opened steady, but closed easy at ½c. to 1c. lower. Opening options—May 89⅜ (89), July 91⅛ (90⅞), October 93⅛ (92⅞). Closing options—May 88⅞ (89⅜), July 90⅜ (91⅛), October 92⅛ (93⅛).

**Oats** irregular. May 36⅞ (37⅛), July 36⅛ (37⅛), October 36⅛ (36).

**Rye** easy. May 67⅞ (69⅛), July 68⅜ (69⅛), October 68⅛ (70).

**Barley** irregular. May 50 (51), July 50 (50⅛), October 48 (49⅛).

**Linseed** easy. May 203⅛ (209⅛), July 205⅛ (212⅛), October 207 (213).

(Previous prices in parentheses.)

### ARGENTINE GRAINS

**Buenos Aires**—Wheat firm, 22 to 17 points up. Maize steady, 3 to 2 points higher. Oats barely steady, 10 points down. Linseed firm, 13 to 36 points dearer.

**Rosario**—Wheat firm, 20 to 15 points advance. Maize steady, 1 to 10 points rise. Linseed steady, 7 to 11 points gain.

### CHICAGO MARKETS

**Wheat** opened steady, but closed easy. Opening options—May 109 (108), July 107½ (106⅞), Sept. 107⅛ (106⅞). Closing options—May 107⅝ to 107⅛ (109⅛ to 109), July 106⅛ to 106⅛ (107½ to 107⅛), Sept. 106⅛ to 106⅜ (107⅛ to 107⅜).

**Maize** opened steady, but closed easy. Opening options—May 65¼ (64⅛), July 66 (65⅞), Sept. 66⅜ (65⅞). Closing options—May 64⅜ (65⅛), July 65⅛ (66⅛), Sept. 65⅞ (65⅞).

**Oats** closed easy. May 40⅜ (41⅛), July 37⅛ (37⅜), Sept. 34⅛ (35⅛).

**Rye** closed easy. May 67⅛ to 67⅜ (68⅞), July 69⅛ (70½), Sept. 70⅛ (71⅞).

**Lard** easy. Prime Western steam loose spot 5.45 (5.55). Closing options—May 6.15 (6.27½), July 6.40 (6.52½), Sept. 6.60 (6.70), Oct. 6.70 (6.82½).

**Bacon**—Fat backs, 6.87½ (6.87½). Dry-salted bellies—Spot, 6.12½ (6.25). Closing options—May 5.90 (5.95).

**Hogs** easy. Light-weight 5.85 to 6.15, heavy 5.90 to [illegible]

[(Previou]s prices in parentheses.)

### [...]K EXCHANGE

Second National Loan, 109⅛; Financial Agreement Loan, 99; 4½ per cent. Land Bonds, 112; War Loan, 99⅞; Munster Banks, buyers, 102s. 6d.; Nationals, 41s.; Great Southern Guaranteed, sellers, 29; Great Northern Deb., 50; Guinness Ord. quoted 79s.-80s. (nominal).

# IRISH EXCHEQUER RETURN

## SUBSTANTIALLY HIGHER REVENUE

The Exchequer return for the period April 1 to April 27, 1940, shows that revenue is £925,906 higher and expenditure £850,180 lower than in the same period 1939. Totals:

| REVENUE. | | EXPENDITURE. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1940 | £2,918,557 | 1940 | £1,364,000 |
| 1939 | 1,992,651 | 1939 | 2,214,180 |
| Higher | £925,906 | Lower | £850,180 |

The revenue last week amounted to £688,023, compared with £551,109 in the corresponding week last year, and expenditure to £417,500, compared with £1,481,680.

### AGGREGATE FIGURES.

The aggregates for two years are appended:

| | April 1, '40, to April 27, '40. | April 1, '39, to April 29, '39. |
|---|---|---|
| REVENUE. | £ | £ |
| Customs | 1,450,000 | 886,000 |
| Excise | 512,000 | 350,000 |
| Motor Duties | 109,000 | 108,000 |
| Estate Duties | 86,000 | 87,000 |
| Stamps | 36,000 | 21,000 |
| Income Tax | 680,000 | 337,000 |
| Corporation Profits | 22,000 | 17,000 |
| Excess Profits | 9,000 | 1,000 |
| Post Office | — | 165,000 |
| Land Annuities | — | — |
| Sundry Receipts | 28,557 | 20,651 |
| Total Revenue | 2,918,557 | 1,992,651 |
| EXPENDITURE. | £ | £ |
| Central Fund Services | 407,500 | 448,530 |
| Supply Services | 956,500 | 1,765,650 |
| Total Expenditure | 1,364,000 | 2,214,180 |

### EXCHEQUER BALANCE.

There were no "other" receipts or issues. The balance in the Exchequer on April 27, 1940, was £5,177,216, compared with £399,595 on the corresponding date last year, and £3,622,659 on April 1, 1940.

## THE BRITISH EXCHEQUER

British revenue last week dropped to £10,553,000, against expenditure totalling £46,440,000, of which £45,561,000 was for defence. Total expenditure between April 1 and April 27 was £180,958,000, which is almost exactly double the figure for the corresponding period of last year. The revenue total is £62,173,000, compared with £55,029,000. During last week £144,000 was issued under the Anglo-Turkish "Armaments Credit" Agreement. Receipts included £5,711,000 from Customs and £1,960,000 from death duties. Floating debt increased by £33,015,000, but is still £99,975,000 lower than at March 31.

## DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS

**Associated London Properties.**—Payment of Preference dividend postponed. In the year to June 24, 1939, full dividends were paid on the 6 per cent. Cumulative Preference stocks and 4 per cent. on the Ordinary stock.

**Anti-Attrition Metal Co.**—Interim dividend of 3½ per cent. on the Ordinary shares (against 5 per cent. on smaller capital).

**Crosse and Blackwell.**—Total profits, before depreciation and taxation, were £406,686, compared with £242,735 in 1938, but as taxation requires £167,429 (against £25,236) the net figure, after depreciation and interest, is only £20,264 higher at £93,619. As already known, the Ordinary dividend is maintained at 2½ per cent.

**Commercial Union Assurance.**—Final dividend of 17½ per cent., making 32½ per cent. (against 40 per cent.).

**Cockburn Trust.**—Interim 3 per cent. (same).

**Cakebread, Robey and Co.**—No Ordinary payment for 1939 (against 6 per cent.).

**Dickson and Benson.**—Profit £5,625. Directors' amended recommendations following Budget—Dividend 4 per cent. (originally 5 per cent.); forward £3,989 (against £3,639).

**Maniphu (Ceylon) Tea and Rubber.**—Profit £19,106 (against £11,463); final dividend of 6¼ per cent., making 9 per cent. (against 7½ per cent.); forward £6,740 (against £6,784).

**Kampong Kuantan Rubber.**—Net profit £24,399 (against £15,628); final dividend of 10 per cent., making 22 per cent. (against 14 per cent.); forward £5,086 (against £5,003).

**Kalgoorlie Electric Power and Lighting.**—Profit £31,216 (against £30,997); final 4½ per cent., making 7½ per cent. (same); forward £10,576 (against £12,211).

**Lilley and Skinner.**—Trading profit £75,086 (against £69,097). Ordinary dividend maintained at 10 per cent. Forward £27,667.

**London and Provincial Trust.**—Dividend of 4½ per cent. (same).

**London General Investment Trust.**—Final Deferred dividend of 9 per cent., making 12½ per cent. for year (same).

**Malkin Tiles (Burslem).**—Final dividend of 2½ per cent., making 5 per cent. (against 10 per cent.).

**Maritime Oilfields.**—Net profit £3,471 (against £4,318); dividend of 5½ per cent. (same) on Ordinary; forward £531 (against £746).

**Montevideo Gas and Dry Dock.**—Final dividend of 3 per cent., making 4 per cent. (same).

**North British and Mercantile Insurance.**—With a final of 3/1 per share, the distribution is maintained at 6/3 per share, equivalent to 25 per cent. on fully-paid shares, and 100 per cent. on partly paid. The carry forward is £2,607,559 (against £2,542,405).

**Queen Anne's Mansions and Hotel.**—No half-year's Preference dividend.

**Shaw and Marvin.**—Dividend of 5 per cent. on Ordinary (against nil).

**St. Andrew Trust.**—Final dividend of 2½ per cent., making 5 per cent. for year, on Preference stock, and dividend for year of 1½ per cent. on Ordinary (same).

**Tarun (Malay) Rubber.**—Final dividend of 4 per cent., making 8 per cent. (against 4 per cent.).

**Thrift Stores.**—Net profit £30,559 (against £31,460); dividend on Deferred 10 per cent. (same); forward £10,419 (against £10,525).

**Union Castle Mail Steamship Co.**—The directors have sanctioned the payment on May 4 of the six months' dividend to December 31, 1939, on the 6 per cent. "A" Preference Shares. In December last the directors deferred payment of this dividend, although the full payment was made on the 4½ per cent. Preference Shares.

## AUSTRALIAN WOOL SHORTAGE

## OFFALY WORKERS DISEMPLOYED

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.
*TULLAMORE, Tuesday.*

The services of 180 operatives employed in the new spinning mills at Tullamore have been dispensed with, in consequence of the difficulty of procuring adequate supplies of raw wool, as all the wool used in this mill is of Australian origin. The employés dispensed with comprise the second shift, which was organised some months ago to cope with the increased demand for the company's products. The mills have been about eighteen months in production, and there are about 500 operatives still employed. There are at present stocks of raw materials on hands sufficient to keep the mills going for a considerable time.

## MOCK SHAREHOLDERS' MEETING

At the Rathmines Technical Institute to-night, senior students of the Class in Company Administration will hold a mock shareholders' meeting, under the leadership of Mr. C. R. Magrath, M.A. (Lecturer), and Mr. P. J. Lynch, B.Comm. (Assistant Lecturer). The proceedings will be conducted, as far as possible, on the lines of the annual general meeting of a public limited company. The object is to illustrate the principles of company law and procedure, and the students taking part have been elected by ballot.

## CHINESE LECTURER NOT COMING TO DUBLIN

The Dublin Labour Party was informed yesterday that the British Government has refused a travel permit to Ham Djang Liem, a member of the Chinese Government, who was to have given a lecture to-night on "China To-day" at 29a Eden quay.

A lecture on "Connolly's Ideals" will be delivered by Mr. Cathal O'Shannon.

Miss K. I. Walker, the well-known Belfast miniature artist, has had a very charming miniature portrait accepted and hung at this year's Royal Academy Exhibition.

# FOOD AND PRODUCE MARKETS

### CATTLE.

**MANCHESTER PIG.**—Supplies rather smaller, but larger arrivals expected next week. The quality continues very good. About one-third were allocated for bacon and the remainder for pork.

**MANCHESTER.**—Supplies of fat cattle were smaller at the Mode Wheel collecting centre, under the Government scheme, and the quality was not very attractive, the bulk again being fat cows. A few sheep, lambs and cows were received after grading, and these were allocated to Government slaughter houses.

### GRAIN.

**DUBLIN.**—Fair number of samples on offer, with demand quietly steady at: Oats 22/- to 24/- per barrel delivered.

**BALTIC.**—WHEAT—the following are f.o.b. quotations: No. 1 Northern Manitoba (Montreal) first half July 37/-, last half July 37/1½, first half August 37/4½, last half August 37/6; No. 2 ditto last half June 36/3; No. 1 ditto (Vancouver) April 33/6, No. 2 ditto 32/-; No. 1 Canadian Western Garnet (Vancouver) April 30/9, No. 2 ditto 30/4½; Australian bulk April 27/6, bags April 29/-; Baril (62lb.) new crop April 31/- per 480lb. MAIZE quiet. Plate new crop May 14/3, June 14/4½; No. 2 yellow American St. Lawrence May 32/6 per 480lb. BARLEY and OATS unquoted.

**LIVERPOOL CORN.**—The attendance at yesterday's spot market was fair, and all cereals were more or less inquired for, demand being satisfied as far as possible by the Port Area Grain Committee at fixed prices, carriage and haulage charged by distributing agents. F.o.b. parcels of wheat for shipment held at fully 1½d. per quarter advance owing to better American markets, but barley and oats not quoted. No. 1 Northern Manitoba wheat (Montreal) June quoted 36/9, No. 2 36/3, No. 1 (Vancouver) April 32/7½, No. 1 Canadian Western Garnet (Vancouver) April 30/9 per quarter.

### PROVISIONS.

**DUBLIN FRUIT AND VEGETABLE.**—Home-grown arrivals under average, with sales brisk, at—York cabbage, large 50/- to 114/-, small 20/- to 50/- load; cauliflowers 2/6 to 5/-, extra 6/- to 7/6, seconds 9d. to 2/6; lettuce 6d. to 2/-, indoor 1/6 to 3/- dozen; mint and thyme 1/- to 2/-, rhubarb 8d. to 3/-, leeks 3/- to 6/-, radishes 6d. to 10d., carrots 2/6 to 4/- dozen bunches, 10/- to 14/- bag; parsnips 10/- to 12/-, spinach 2/6 to 3/-, parsley 3/- to 5/- bag, turnips 3d. to 6d., scallions 8d. to 1/6, kale 2d. to 4d. bunch, seakale 10d. to 1/-, new potatoes 8d. to 1/-, mushrooms 1/- to 2/-, peas 1/6, kidney beans 2/4 to 2/6 per lb., and apples 4/- to 12/- barrel. Imported fruits in small supply and dearer, except tomatoes, which were cheaper at—Canary, 14/- to 16/- boat; Guernsey, 2/- per lb.; apples 22/- to 24/-, pears 24/- to 26/- box; oranges, Jaffa 22/- to 25/- case, Valencia 24/- to 27/- half case; navels 14/- to 16/- box, Californian 30/-; lemons 16/- to 22/- case, 12/- to 15/- box; Cape grapes 12/- to 16/-, green 20/-; grapefruit, 19/ to 20/- case; pineapples, 3/- to 5/- each; Tunis dates, 7/- to 8/6 dozen packages; cucumbers, 6d. to 8d. each; Egyptian onions 35/- bag, and Dutch 12/- half bag.

**DUBLIN BUTTER AND EGG.**—Creamery supplies somewhat larger, with sales fair, at 159/- per cwt. cash and 161/- credit sales. Egg production well up to average, but with shippers active in the country stocks continue to be diverted, and local buyers are obliged to higher prices for most grades. Specials 15/6 to 16/3, standards 15/- to 15/6, selected 14/- to 14/6, pullets 13/- to 13/9, selected ducks 15/-, and small 12/6 per 120.

**DUBLIN POULTRY.**—Poultry supplies continue short, especially chickens, which show a further advance in values. Rabbits and graziers offering freely, with demand steady for best fresh consignments, but soft or badly handled arrivals were cleared to best advantage. Chickens, small 1/4 to 1/5, large 1/3 to 1/4 per lb.; large fat hens 2/6 to 3/6, others 1/- to 2/-; guinea fowl in feathers, 2/6 to 2/9; rabbits, best fresh 8d., large graziers 6d. to 9d., and smalls 2d. to 4d. each.

**DUBLIN POTATO.**—Moderate supplies proved sufficient for requirements at 5/6 to 6/- per cwt. for best table classes.

**DUBLIN FISH.**—Supplies included 154 boxes from one trawler, 46 packages salmon, 8 lots lobsters, 61 boxes herrings, 64 boxes mackerel, and a large amount from country and local senders. Demand good for best quality; other classes slow to clear. Salmon 1/8 to 2/2, halibut 1/11, trout 1/4 to 1/9; soles, black 1/- to 1/10; turbot 1/- to 1/4, brill 6d. to 1/3 per lb.; lobsters 10/- to 38/- per 13, herrings 20/- to 25/-, mackerel 12/6 to 17/-, plaice 40/- to 90/-, dabs and flounders 12/6 to 33/-, cod 30/- to 83/-, whiting 20/- to 63/-, white soles 33/- to 100/-, ray 4/- to 26/-, conger eels 7/- to 25/-, pollock 32/-, blossom 70/- to 74/-; hake, large 84/- to 100/-, small 32/- to 48/-; prawns 14/- to 15/-, monks 61/- to 65/- per box.

**GRIMSBY FISH.**—Soles 3d. to 1/10, slips 1/4 to 1/6, salmon 2/11 per lb., best plaice 14/6 to 18/-, lemon soles 16/- to 20/-, turbot and brill 16/- to 17/6, cod 5/- to 8/-, sprags 5/- to 8/-, small haddocks 4/6 to 7/6, medium 4/6 to 7/-; whitings 7/- to 8/6, dogfish 6/- to 7/- per stone.

**MANCHESTER SALMON AND POULTRY.**—Available supplies of salmon meet with a quiet consumptive demand, and values remain fairly steady, Irish being quoted at 2/8 per lb. Dead poultry in moderate supply and demand. Best chickens firm, others steady. Irish and English chickens 1/8, fowls 1/-, ducklings 1/4 to 1/6 per lb.

**MANCHESTER MEAT.**—General conditions unchanged. Better prospects for lamb. Home-killed—Beef sides 7d. to 8d., hindquarters 8d. to 10d., forequarters 6d. to 8d. Veal—Best calves 11d., others 6d. to 10d. Pork carcases 1/-, less heads 1/0¼, others 9½d. to 10d. Mutton and Lamb carcases—First quality 1/-. Mutton—Second 6½d. Imported—Beef, hindquarters 8d., forequarters 6d., crops 6½d.; mutton 6½d., lamb 9d. Pork carcases 9d.; ditto, less heads, 9½d.

**MANCHESTER BUTTER.**—Plentiful supplies, but demand quiet. First-hand price 143/-, wholesalers 150/-. BACON—Ample stocks available for distribution during the coming week. Bindal prices to wholesalers—Wiltshire-cut sides 113/6, three-quarters 121/6, spencers and Cumberlands 111/6, middles 122/6, backs cut in U.K. 141/6, cut outside U.K. 131/6, streaks 84/6, clear bellies 99/6, fores and squares 92/6, fore hocks and picnics 70/6; North Ireland rolls 123/6. Wholesalers to retailers—Wiltshire 125/-, three-quarters 133/-, spencers and Cumberlands 123/-, middles 134/-, backs cut in U.K. 153/-, cut outside U.K. 143/-, streaks 96/-, clear bellies 101/-, fores and squares 104/-, fore hocks and picnics 82/-; North Ireland rolls 135/-. HAMS in short supply. Green to wholesalers 118/-6, to retailers 130/-, smoked 10/- extra. LARD—English refined insufficient for the demand, and prices nominal. Imported in very small compass. CHEESE—Limited arrivals of Lancashire and Cheshire sell readily at full rates; Colonial unchanged. EGGS firm. Eireann specials and standards 17/-, selected 14/9, duck 15/6; English and Northern Ireland nominal. All others at controlled prices.

**LIVERPOOL.**—There was no change in trade conditions in this market.

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### PRODUCE.

**LONDON.**—COCOA dull; Accra G/F spot sellers 35/6 per cwt., afloat 32/9 per 50 kilos c.i.f. SPICE—Pepper inactive; black Lampong spot in bond sellers 3½d. May-June 2 11/16d.; white Muntok spot in bond 4½d., ditto duty paid 5⅛d. Cloves—Zanzibar spot 9⅛d, May-June 9⅛d. per lb. c.i.f. Sago—Sarawak small pearl May-June 24/6, ditto flour 17/3. Ginger—African spot 29/-, May-June 22/6. Tapioca—Singapore Havre quality May-June 28/-, ditto seed 29/- per cwt. c.i.f. SHELLAC steadier; fair T.N. spot sellers 80/- to 83/- as to quality and quantity; to arrive 68/- c.i.f. A/C Garnet spot 95/-, pure button ditto 127/6, fine orange 130/- to 170/- per cwt. GUNNIES steady. Hessians 10oz. by 40, June shipment 30/7, 8oz. ditto 25/3 per 100 yards c.i.f. Twills—Liverpool "A" June 80/9, "B" ditto 72/9 per 100 bags c.i.f. RUBBER closed fully steady. Sheet spot sold 11d., May 10/7⅛, June 11d., July-September 11 1/16d. to 11⅛d., October-December 11 3/16d., January-March buyers 10 15/16d. per lb.

OILS—The following are selling prices for material allocated to the primary wholesalers and large trade consumers. Linseed, raw £42 10/-; rape, crude £44 5/-. Cottonseed, crude £31 2/6, washed £34 5/-, refined £35 12/6, deodorised £36 10/-. Soya beans, crude £33, refined deodorised £37. Groundnut, crude £35 10/-, refined deodorised £40, hardened £44. Coconut, crude £28 2/6, refined deodorised £31 7/6, refined hardened £36 17/6. Palm kernel, crude £27 10/-, refined deodorised £30 15/-, hardened £35 5/-. Castor, firsts £37, seconds £35; whale, crude £30 10/- to £31 10/-, refined hardened £33 to £35 10/- per ton net naked, ex mill or works. Palm oil c.i.f. in bulk £17 5/-, loan drums £18 5/-, returnable casks £18 15/-. Turpentine quiet; American spot 53/- per cwt. Rosin—American ranged from 25/- to 32/6, as to grade, per cwt. OILSEEDS firm. The following are approximate shippers' indications on the basis of the Government freight and insurance:—Linseed, Calcutta, April-May £20 5/-, Bombay ditto £21 2/6, Plate ditto £18. Rapeseed, Toria April-May £17 2/6. Cottonseed, Egyptian April-May £8 10/-. Groundnuts, Coromandel April-May £17 17/6. Castorseed, Bombay April-May £21 15/-, Calcutta ditto £21 5/-. Soya beans, Manchurian April-May £14 10/-; palm kernels, West African April-May £10 15/-; hempseed, Manchurian April-May £23 per ton.

**LIVERPOOL.**—COCOA—West African steady at late rates, but without feature of interest to report.

### MISCELLANEOUS.

**DUBLIN HAY AND STRAW.**—Hay supplies small, but, with few anxious buyers in attendance, sales proved slow and dragging, with prices showing a further weaker trend at—Best first crop 6/- to 6/6 and 6/9, secondary quality 5/- to 5/9, softer 3/6 to 4/9 per cwt. Straw also in small supply, but sufficient for fair demand, without any material change in values at 4/6 to 4/9 and 5/- per cwt.

### LONDON METALS MARKET

TIN dull and easier. Standard cash quoted £253 5/- to £253 10/-, three months £248 15/- to £249, settlement £253 5/-. Sales 100 tons; cash at £253 to £253 5/-, three months £249. Best nominally £273 10/- to £278 10/- per ton. ANTIMONY firm. English regulus spot £106 to £107, foreign ditto £97 to £98 per ton.

The next meeting of the International Tin Committee has been fixed to take place in London on May 27. Representatives of France, Belgium, the Netherlands, Thailand (Siam), the Malay States and Nigeria will be present. Despite the recent fluctuations in the London price of the metal, it is generally anticipated that a further cut of ten per cent. in the production quota will be decided upon.

### IRISH RAILWAY RECEIPTS

| | Last Week. +Inc. −Dec. | | Total 17 Weeks. +Inc. −Dec. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Gt. Southern | £31,318 | +3,756 | £1,351,951 | +42,185 |
| Gt. Northern | 22,850 | +2,600 | 351,850 | +37,700 |
| Co. Down | 3,236 | + 463 | 46,252 | + 6,378 |

### Legal Tender Note Fund

The amount of legal tender notes outstanding on April 27 was £11,560,234, against £11,504,270 10s. on April [..]. The amount issued during the week [...] 10s., and the amount redeemed [...]

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[...]are's no one [...] union Policy [...] Aston, Mar[...] (Advt.)

# IRISHMAN'S DIARY

*More of the "Wayfarer's" History : The Meteors of May*
*Chipping the Kerbstones : Entente Cordiale*
*Friends of the Irish Academy of Letters*

### The Academy's Friends

If the Society of the Friends of the Irish Academy of Letters maintain the enthusiasm for their objects that was manifest at the sherry party in the Shelbourne Hotel last week they can carry out their proposed programme of functions with high success.

Lord Dunsany and the Earl of Longford were early arrivals at the gathering, and took part in the lively talk that went round the room. Mr. Lennox Robinson's announcement of the society's intentions was heartily received.

The next function is to be a literary excursion to the Boyne Valley on 18th May, including a visit to Dunsany Castle. Lord Dunsany, Mr. F. R. Higgins, and Mr. Brinsley MacNamara are to act as "compères" to the party. It is hoped that Mr. James Stephens will come to Dublin in June to deliver the Yeats Memorial Lecture, and in July the society will entertain Lord Dunsany to dinner in congratulation upon his honours in T.C.D.

There is to be an alfresco dramatic performance, and some time before Christmas a "Book Fair" will be held—and all for 10s. per annum.

The object of the society is to support the Academy of Letters, to excite interest in living authors, and to advance a native literature.

### Stonework

For the past few months I have noticed there have been men almost continually at work chipping the kerbstones in the principal streets. I wonder why?

Usually, only the stones running on the edge of the path are treated. Is it to give a clean effect to the paths? I doubt it, because a few days, especially during rain, suffice to render the treated stones indistinguishable from their less fortunate brethren.

Perhaps, it is to ensure that the edges of the paths do not become slippery through wear? This would be, indeed, a laudable purpose, and to me seems the most likely.

There is another possible meaning—to make the edge of the path more visible at night time; but I have not much faith in this theory, especially since our city is so well lighted, except when the Grafton street lights disappear, as they almost regularly do.

The chipping business is not exactly a soul-building job, but, nevertheless, there seems to be quite an art in it. The angle of the chisel is all-important, and it is quite interesting to watch the steady, confident hands of the workman.

### "Wayfarer" on the Shannon

A colleague writes:—

The barge yacht, Wayfarer, which Sir Robert Woods brought originally to the Shannon, fitted exactly the measurements of a canal lock, which means that she came within the limits of 65 feet in length and 13 feet in beam. But when she was being hauled into the first lock it was discovered for the first time that the width of her square transom stern would not allow the lock gates to be closed, and so she had to be pulled out again, and the outside ends trimmed off.

When this was done there was no further trouble. Report has it that she has remained on the Shannon ever since. It was of this boat that Mrs. Waterhouse wrote in *Blackwood's Magazine*.

Wayfarer was somebody's dream ship, and built at great expense for cruising on the waterways of England. Sir Robert Woods was reported to have paid a stiff price for her, but a great deal less than half what she cost to build. Everything was of the best in her, and she should last a century. When the writer knew her motor power was not fitted in her, but may have been added since.

### Towed to Ireland

A coasting steamer towed her over from England, from Bristol, I think. I saw her on her arrival at Dun Laoghaire, and although I was never fascinated by the Shannon as a cruising ground, I rather envied her possessor because of her roominess and comfort.

At any rate, her owner had great fun out of her, she, with a motor launch as a tender, being the perfect houseboat for the Shannon.

That the Shannon exercises a fascination over those who make use of it for cruising purposes cannot be denied. One spends days and nights on the river which live in memory for ever. Besides, the people on its banks are kindly and hospitable and essentially sporting, and one makes friends there who are not easily forgotten.

### An Entente Cordiale

Between Dublin Bay and Shannon yachtsmen there is an *entente cordiale* that has existed for years. There was a time when the Water Wags used to go down for a fortnight, the members living in camp or houseboats and enjoying themselves hugely. A race in Wags manned by members of Shannon clubs and sailed during Horse Show week is a survival of this tradition.

It is one of my regrets that I never took part in one of the "Shannon Tour" trips of thirty years ago. They were very cheap and very interesting, and, it is to be supposed, paid their way. What has become of the small steamers which plied for the water portion of the tour? If I am to believe the late Mr. J. E. Doyle, M.I.N.A., who made the trip once, they were not of good type and scared him as a practical man.

What happened, however, was that it blew a gale of wind the day he did the tour, and he, accustomed to the sea all his life, did not like the rough water of the lake, the short, wetting seas, which had none of the regularity of deep sea waves, and, therefore, seemed wrong.

### The Eta Aquarids

A well-known meteor shower, the Eta Aquarids, make their appearance in the early mornings of the first week in May. Other radiants in this month may be looked for in Corona and Scorpio.

A maximum occurs to-morrow at 3 a.m., and there is another on the 3rd at 11.45 p.m., while other maxima occur on the night of the 4th at 11.30 and 12.20. The night of the 5th has also a maximum at 10.40. Large maxima fall on the 7th, particularly at 11.10 p.m. and early in the preceding morning, and there is another large one on the 8th at 8.55 p.m.

The 11th has also early maxima between 1 and 2 a.m., and another in the afternoon at 1.45. A maximum falls on the 13th at 1 a.m., and this is followed by others near noon and at 10.25 p.m. The 14th has a secondary maximum about 8 p.m. On the 18th morning maxima fall at 1.5 and 1.50, and there is another at 3.15 p.m., which is larger.

The 19th gives a large maximum at 9.45 p.m., with an earlier one near 1 a.m., while the 25th furnishes another morning maximum at 3.15. Towards the end of the month there is an increase of meteoric intensity. A large maximum falls on the 26th at 10.20 p.m., which seems to be of a seismic character, and on the 28th there is another seismic maximum at 7.5 p.m.

The 29th gives a large maximum at 7.55 p.m., followed by a secondary at 11.20 p.m., and the 30th furnishes an afternoon one at 3.50.

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## ST. ANN'S CHURCH

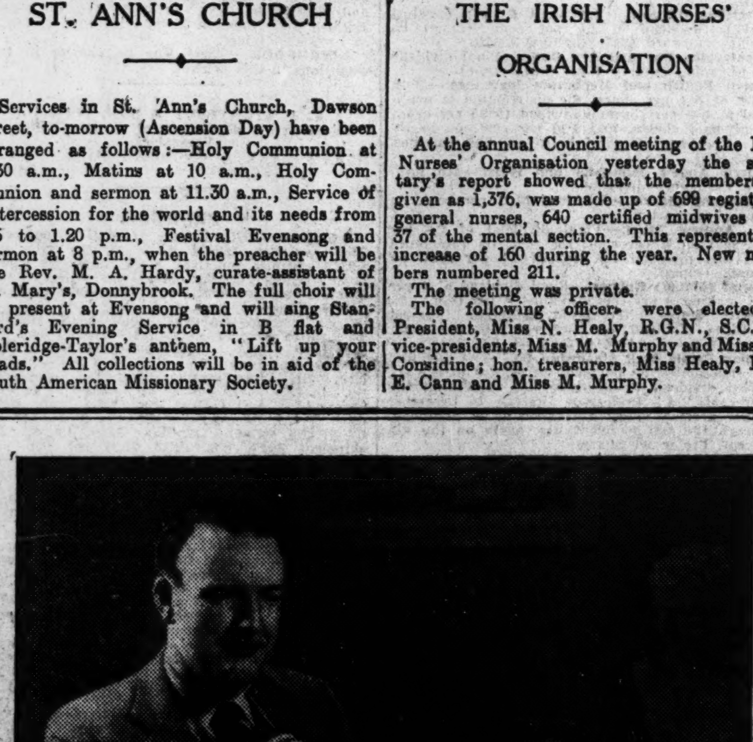
Services in St. Ann's Church, Dawson street, to-morrow (Ascension Day) have been arranged as follows:—Holy Communion at 7.30 a.m., Matins at 10 a.m., Holy Communion and sermon at 11.30 a.m., Service of Intercession for the world and its needs from 1.5 to 1.20 p.m., Festival Evensong and sermon at 8 p.m., when the preacher will be the Rev. M. A. Hardy, curate-assistant of St. Mary's, Donnybrook. The full choir will be present at Evensong and will sing Stanford's Evening Service in B flat and Coleridge-Taylor's anthem, "Lift up your heads." All collections will be in aid of the South American Missionary Society.

## THE IRISH NURSES' ORGANISATION

At the annual Council meeting of the Irish Nurses' Organisation yesterday the secretary's report showed that the membership, given as 1,376, was made up of 699 registered general nurses, 640 certified midwives and 37 of the mental section. This represents an increase of 160 during the year. New members numbered 211.

The meeting was private.

The following officers were elected:—President, Miss N. Healy, R.G.N., S.C.M.; vice-presidents, Miss M. Murphy and Miss N. Considine; hon. treasurers, Miss Healy, Mrs. E. Cann and Miss M. Murphy.

**DO THEY THINK I WAS BORN YESTERDAY?**

*"THEY'RE at it again, I see. Lynch cribs from Brennan, and Brennan cribs from Lynch, and neither of them knows anything about anything. They must think I came down in the last shower. Who'd be a schoolmaster, particularly these days? What with taking Dupont's French classes since he's been on sick leave, and working for my Ph.D. on top of that—well, I just don't feel too bright. Don't suppose I've had a night's sleep of more than five hours since the start of the term either. Still, it's no use letting things get me down. Must do something about it. It's time I went back to Kruschen."*

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*MOTOR NOTES*

# LOP-SIDED JUSTICE

## No Tail-Light More Heinous Than Non Payment of Tax: Safety Movement Among Boy Drivers: Donabate Sprint Meeting on Saturday

By HAROLD C. BROWN

ONE of the most certain ways of having a temperature stimulated is to spend a morning in a District Court in which motor cases are being heard. In England before the present war there was an agitation in favour of special motor courts, where magistrates skilled in motoring, as well as motor law, might hold the scales of justice more evenly than is the case with some non-motoring magistrates. The demand for such an innovation is not so great in Dublin. I don't think we have a justice—in the Dublin area, anyway—who could be described as biassed against the motorist.

What we do have is a lop-sided administration of the law. Sometimes the lop-sidedness is seen in the statute under which the prosecution is brought. The justice is not to blame there. Often, however, there is an appalling lop-sidedness in the penalties imposed. A case that District Justice "A" would treat under the Probation of Offenders Act, District Justice "B" will take very seriously, imposing a fine of, perhaps, £5.

The other day in a district court a motorist who was said to be no stranger to the place was charged with driving an unregistered car and given the benefit of the Probation Act. Another, who had no tail-light, was fined 10s. A third, for parking his car in the street while his garage was being repaired, was fined 10s.

A group at the start of the Spring Trials on Saturday—R. W. O'Keefe, Stanley Woods, R. B. S. Le Fanu, and R. O. Yeates.

### Exchequer Concerned

THIS week Mr. Sean T. O'Kelly is sitting with a wet towel round his head while he puzzles out ways and means of balancing his Budget. It does not matter two hoots to him or his Budget whether or not half the motorists in the country have temporary maladjustments in their cars' electric fittings, but it does matter to him and his Budget whether or not motorists pay the tax on the cars that they are using.

If a motor car without a tail-light knocks down a cyclist, the absence of the tail-light is not going to invalidate the motorist's third-party insurance in the event of the cyclist's making a claim for damages, but the absence of registration is going to cause a great deal of bother. When a tail-light bulb blows, the driver is not to blame. He has not been guilty of any negligence. A motorist who drives an unregistered car, on the other hand, is definitely guilty of cheating the Exchequer, and he knows it.

Do our District Justices realise the difference in seriousness between driving an unregistered car and driving a car without a tail-light? I honestly don't believe that all of them do. If a man's application for a registration is in the post his position is different. Some Dublin Justices, however, seem to think that the law has been observed if the registration is effected three or four days after the police have caught the motorist.

Of course, the old excuse of the motorist is that he had brought out the car that day for the first time. He had not driven it from 31st December last till the day he was caught. And why shouldn't a motorist make that excuse? The District Justice always "falls for it."

### The Young Idea

THEY start early in America. Mr. Edsel Ford president of the Ford Company, has announced a nation-wide "Good Drivers' League," to promote safer driving by boys of high school age.

"The organisation," it is stated, "will conduct contests to select the best boy drivers in each State and in the nation, with scholarships to be awarded the winners.

"More than a million boys reach driving age each year," Mr. Ford explained, "and extensive organised efforts should be made to help them become good drivers. That is our purpose in forming the Good Drivers' League. We want to help boys throughout the country, and at the same time to emphasise and make more valuable all other good driving movements."

Mr. Ford said the formation of the League grew out of a small programme the company had conducted in recent months to show boys that it is smart to drive safety.

"The results of that effort have been so encouraging that we now are undertaking this much wider programme, which we believe will have the endorsement and co-operation of parents everywhere, and of every organisation interested in safe driving.

"We are going to make every effort to see that the Good Drivers' League is of real interest to boys, and that it is effective in helping them to become better drivers. Final details now are being worked out and will be announced soon."

### French Drivers

YOU may remember Jean Pierre Wimille and Rene Dreyfus at the Cork Grand Prix race of 1938, Wimille in the "hush hush" Bugatti and Dreyfus in the Delahaye, which won the race. Well, Wimille is now a fighting pilot in the French Air Force, and Dreyfus is a driver in an Army transport column.

Rene Le Begue, who made fastest lap of the Ards Circuit, his 85.52 m.p.h. of 1936 being a T.T. record, is an officer in the French Tank Corps. Robert Benoist and Robert Senechal, whom we knew more by reputation than acquaintance, are both pilot instructors in the Air Force.

Roger Sommers, another notable French driver, is a cyclist runner with an infantry battalion.

### Two Thousand

LAST week the 2,000th number of *The Motor* was published. There were a number of articles dealing with the early days of the paper and the early days of the sport, including one by St. John Nixon on the Thousand Miles Trial, the 40th anniversary of that historic run occurring about the same time. It is an issue worth preserving.

Montague Grahame-White gave the 19th century motorists a luncheon last Wednesday to mark the anniversary of the trial, in which he took a part. I looked in his book, "At the Wheel Ashore and Afloat," to see if I could find any tales of the trial to add to what Nixon wrote in *The Motor*, but failed.

Nixon was a mechanic in the trial at the age of 13 years, and he is much the youngest member of the 19th century motorists. It is from his article that I learn that exhibitions were held at the big centres touched by the trial, the proceeds going to the Transvaal War Fund, for that time was two wars ago.

### Sporting Items

THE first speed meeting of the year will take place on Saturday next at Turvey avenue, Donabate, where the Irish Motor Racing Club is to run three sprint events—for cars up to 1,100 c.c., for cars over 1,100 c.c., and for cars of any capacity. All will be on handicap, with silver and bronze plaques and silver medals as awards, and the R. D. Cox Cup for fastest time of the day. The course will be a quarter of a mile in length, with a flying start of about half a mile. Starting time is 3 p.m.

At the same meeting two motor cycle sprint events, for machines under 500 c.c. and of unlimited c.c., will be run by the Dublin and District Club.

A. J. Bell has won the Moles Cup, with R. T. Hill second, H. McKee third, and R. McCandless, who also receives the cup for the rider who had never won an open trial, fourth. S. McFarlane was fifth. My Ulster M.C.C. correspondent pays a tribute to McCandless's riding of his Speed Twin Triumph.

# BAD WEATHER AT PUNCHESTOWN

## TAILORED CLOTHES POPULAR

## FEWER VISITORS FROM BRITAIN

RACEGOERS from all parts of Ireland gathered for the Punchestown Meeting yesterday, and if the crowds were, perhaps, not so great as in former years, it had very little effect upon the general appearance of the stands and enclosures, which were thickly populated. The number of cross-Channel visitors, who usually come over for Punchestown, was considerably smaller, and, owing to the war also, many prominent racing personalities were absent. The weather was bad, for rain began during the first race, and fell heavily throughout the afternoon, making the crowds seek shelter between races.

Fashions were a study in contrasts, for many women took an optimistic view of the weather and wore smart clothes, which had to be hidden beneath umbrellas and mackintoshes, and others came prepared for bad weather in overshoes, thick coats, and plain pull-on felt hats.

Tailored clothes were the popular choice, and suits of every material were seen in all the new season's shades. Pastel-coloured flannel and vivid Irish tweeds were worn by many smart women, and checked suitings were also popular.

Hats were mostly small, berets and toques, in plain felt to match their wearers' costumes, flat feathers being a favourite trimming. The more elaborate headgear had been left until a more favourable day, although a few flowered caps with veiling and large straw hats were seen.

Viscountess Elveden, who has returned to Ireland after an absence of some months, was wearing neat ankle boots and a waterproof, with an upturned grey felt riding hat, and the Marchioness of Kildare also wore ankle boots in navy and red to match her navy blue coat, which was worn with a navy felt hat, trimmed with a red ribbon.

Mrs. W. E. Wylie looked smart in a navy blue pin-striped costume, a felt jockey cap to match, and fox furs, while Lady Rathdonnell came in a tangerine-coloured jacket over a dark-grey flannel skirt and a dark-grey riding hat; the Hon. Mrs. Corbally Stourton also wore grey.

Lady Farnham, who is staying at Leixlip for Punchestown, chose a full-length black coat, lavishly trimmed with black persian lamb, accompanied by a smart black felt toque.

Mrs. Leonard Abrahamson came in a brown squirrel coat and a brown and beige swathed halo hat, while Mrs. D'Oyley Battley accompanied her checked tweed coat by furs and a tip-tilted scarlet straw hat with flowers at the back.

A three-quarter-length navy blue coat, with bands of checked tweed on collar and cuffs, over a grey flannel pleated skirt was Countess Taaffe's choice, and Lady Dunsany favoured a tweed suit and a black felt beret.

There were a number of visitors from the North of Ireland, among whom were Mrs. Bertram Doxford, who wore a navy hooded waterproof lined with white, and the Hon. Patsy Dixon, whose brown pony-skin coat was worn with a nigger brown felt turban.

Mrs. Livingstone Learmonth, M.F.H., had a black suit with grey and red stripes and a wide black halo hat.

Mrs. Prescott looked well in navy blue with a fuchsia-coloured felt hat, and Mrs. Nugent Popoff, who accompanied her, was in brown.

Mrs. F. Boylan wore a short beaver coat over a powder blue dress, and Mrs. Gilbert Butler, who came up from Kilkenny, chose a tailored suit of turquoise tweed, with a nigger blouse and a nigger cap, with turquoise ribbon trimming.

Miss Jane Gill, whose wedding takes place on Saturday next, wore a slate blue ensemble with a small matching pill-box.

The Hon. Mrs. Tristram Massy chose a violet-coloured tweed suit and a grey felt hat, and Lady Mahon came in a brown and beige checked costume with a brown straw sailor hat; she was accompanied by Mrs. Lathbury, who was in grey.

Princess Caracciola, a visitor from Waterford, wore a mackintosh and a smart brown felt hat, trimmed with a mustard-coloured suede band.

Mrs. Frank MacDermot favoured a grey suit, with a coral-coloured swathed turban, and a three-quarter length swagger fur coat.

Mrs. Bethel Solomons chose a black flowered hat to go with her green flecked tweed costume.

A checked suit and nigger pull-on felt hat were Lady Daresbury's choice, while Mrs. Musters wore brown, with a beaver stole and a becoming brown toque with pheasant's feathers.

Mrs. Geoffrey Palmer came hatless, and her navy coat had wide white revers.

Mr. Martin Mahony, jun., chose a lido blue costume, with a check jacket and plain skirt and a matching forward-tilted sailor hat; her sister-in-law, Miss Anneth Mahony, came in a tweed coat of green and tan checked tweed and a tan felt jockey cap.

Miss Phyllida MacGillycuddy also wore a tan jockey cap, with plaited felt trimming in shades of green and tan, and her tweed suit had dark green revers.

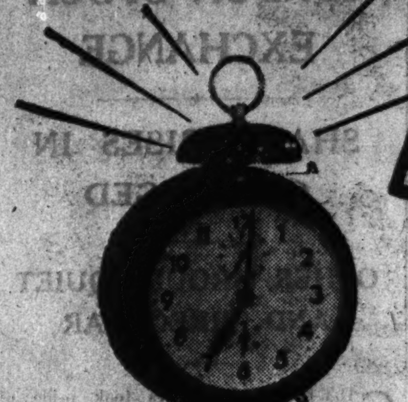
Mrs. Edward Kennedy was wearing a pale cyclamen ensemble, and her daughter, Mrs. Robinson, came in a multi-coloured toque, with a pleated snood and a blue tweed suit.

Mrs. Harry Meade's French blue angora coat had narrow bands of wine-coloured velvet trimming the shoulders, revers and pockets; and Miss K. Mathews wore a multi-coloured tweed suit, yellow jumper and brown felt hat.

Mrs. Herdman, another visitor from the North, came in a scarlet turban and a green and red plaid coat.

### THE ATTENDANCE

Among those present were:—The Marquess of Kildare, the Countess of Fingall, Viscountess Powerscourt, Viscount Elveden, Viscount and Viscountess Adare, Viscountess Jocelyn, Viscount French, Lady de Freyne, the Hon. Patience French, Lord and Lady Talbot de Malahide, Elaine Lady Bellew, Lord Farnham, Lord Dunsany, Lady Glentoran, Sir Francis and Lady Brooke, Miss Alma Brooke, Lady Murphy, Lady Sheridan, Sir Walter Nugent, Sir James Nelson, Sir Basil and Lady Goulding, Sir John Pretyman-Newman, Sir George Mahon, Marquis and Marchesa Malaspina, Prince Caracciola, Conte Tomacelli, Lady Maffey, Sir Ernest Goff, Lieutenant-Colonel the Hon. Edward Corbally-Stourton, the Hon. John Forbes, the Hon. Mrs. Nigel Baring, the Hon. H. G. and Mrs. Wellesley, Duc and Duchesse de Stacpoole, Mme. la Comtesse de Sarigny, Right Hon. T. K. Laidlaw, Miss B. Laidlaw, Mr. W. E. Wylie, K.C.; Senator Frank MacDermot, Mr. Hugh Pack Beresford, Mr. Gerald Annesley, Captain Boyd Rochfort, V.C., and Mrs. Boyd Rochfort; Mrs. Eustace Duckett, Madam O'Mahony, Mrs. R. Kennet Page, Mrs. Helme, Major and Mrs. E. M. Shirley, Miss B. Noble Johnstone, Miss Hermione Drew, Captain L. Arnott, Miss Molly O'Rorke, M.F.H.; Major Dermot McCalmont, Mrs. Nicholas St. Vigor Fox, Captain and Mrs. Gerald Martin, Mr. Shawe Taylor, Mr. H. Maude, Mrs. St. John Nolan, Mrs. Doyne, Major J. D. Barry, the Misses Gaisford St. Lawrence, Major and Mrs. Sharpe, Colonel Bramston Newman, President of the High Court and Mrs. Conor Maguire, American Minister (Mr. David Gray), Miss Ethel Bellamey, Mrs. Hubert de Burgh, Mrs. S. S. Hill-Dillon, Miss M. Morrogh Ryan, Mrs. Lillis, Miss Mary Lillis, Mrs. Knowles, Major S. Watt, Captain and Mrs Frank Pim, Mrs. F. McKeever, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Barton, Mrs. Dobbs, Miss Lucinda Dobbs, Mr Maxwell Arnott, Mr. and Mrs. Bland, Mrs. Dominic More O'Ferrall, Mr. R. More O'Ferrall, Colonel H. S. Mansfield, Captain J. Vernon, Captain ffrench Davis, Mrs. Crowshaw, Miss Anne Townshend, Mrs. L. B. Somerville Large, Miss J. F. Cunningham, Mr. Martin Mahony Major T. C. Goff, Miss J. Lentaigne, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Burrell, Major and Mrs. Roy Cusack, Mr. and Mrs. Nesbit Waddington, Mr. H. S. Gill, Dr. and Mrs. T. Gillman Moorhead, Mr. Patrick Trench, Mr. Meredith Jackson Smyth, Mrs. Eric Stapleton, Colonel and Mrs. Arthur Blake, Mr. Isadore Blake, Mrs. Denis Daly, Mr Cyril McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Dermot MacGillycuddy, Mrs. McElligott, Miss Deirdre MacDermot, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Hope, Mrs. J. O'Rorke, Miss Joy O'Rorke, Mr. and Mrs. H. Cronin, Mr. Andrew Levins Moore, Captain and Mrs. Spence Freeman, Miss Violet Tynte, Mr. and Mrs H. Fitzherbert, Major and Mrs. Victor Parr, Mr. and Mrs. P. Dunne Cullinan, Miss Rosalind Mansfield, Judge O'Brien, Mrs. Eric Horsbrugh Porter, Mrs. Leonard Murphy, Major Doyle, Mr. Desmond Goodbody, Mrs. Dermot Gogarty, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Pollock, Mrs. Mitchell, Miss Biddy Jameson, Miss Murphy, Miss Lucy Murphy, Miss Myra Sweetman, Mrs. Evans, Miss Betty Evans, Miss Joyce Clarke, Mr. F. W. Gradwell, Miss Ethel Jameson, Mr. and Mrs. W. Mooney, Miss Pamela Mooney, Mrs. Binty Marshall, Miss Grania Kennedy, Mr. Gilbert Butler, Mr. George Dawson, Mr. A. Lowenstein, Miss Alice Sweetman, Miss Kathleen Fitzgerald, Miss Marnan, Miss Maeve Marnan, Miss Aileen Mooney, Mrs. Reddin, District Justice and Mrs. Reddin, Miss Marie Lysaght, Mr. H. Usher, Dr. Bethel Solomons, Mrs. Bethel Solomons, Mr. Michael Solomons, Mr. Claude Odlum, Miss Audrey Odlum, the Misses Corinne and Mavis Odlum, Mr. W. T. Cosgrave, T.D.; Mr. and Mrs. R. Hamilton, Mr. P. Glynn, Colonel Dennis, Miss Alison Mansfield, Mr. Marshall Dudley, Mr. Owen Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. A. Odlum, Mr. Peter Odlum, Mrs. Seton Pringle, Mrs. De Vere White, Mrs. Flood, Miss Leila Brabazon, Mr. P. Blacker, Mr. and Mrs. Robin Murphy, Miss Jocelyn Montgomery, Mrs. Wilmot Lloyd, Miss Nedde Lloyd, Dr. Brian O'Brien, Miss Mary O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cherry, Mr. and Mrs. David O'Mara, Mr. Svante Lignell, Mr. Gerard Sweetman, Mr. Franz Offner, Mr. and Mrs. B. T. O'Reilly, Miss Vera Mahony, Miss B. Cairns, Mrs. M. J. Dunne, Mr. W. Marshall, Mr. Arthur McWeeney, Mrs. Dudley Walshe, Mr. and Mrs. Kehoe, Miss Nanette Skipwith, Miss M. Weir, Mr. and Mrs. Stamford Roche, the Misses Roche, Miss S. McAuley, Mr. Peter Stapleton, Miss P. Stapleton, Dr. and Mrs. Brian Pringle, Mr. Tony Riddel Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Dermot O'Brien, Mr. Neville Chance, Miss Margery Chance, Mrs. Terence Roche, Dr. J. Gore-Grimes, Miss Geraldine Mitchel, Mr. P. McCann, Miss Mary McCann, Mrs. Sadleir, Senator and Mrs. McEllin, Miss M. O'Conor, Miss Stella Peart, Miss Beryl Talbot, Miss Mary Aliaga Kelly, Miss Olive O'Brien, Surgeon H. Meade, Miss Joan Manly, Miss H. Kavanagh, Miss B. Kearns, Mr. T. Hughes, Mrs. Powell, Mr. J. G. Counihan, Miss Counihan, Miss Bunty Fagan, Dr. P. Mullaney, Miss Josephine Mullaney, Miss Neve Mullaney, Mr. and Mrs. J. McGrath and Mrs. Rooney.



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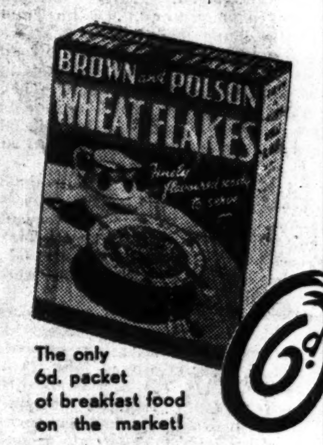



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1. 0-2.30—Gramophone Concert and Variety.
2.30-3. 0—Broadcast to Schools: Tir-Eolaiocht. Sean O Closain.
5.30—An Ghiuin Og a stiuru ag Micheal O Maolain (As Aralan).
5.55—Marcradh Sleibhe: Sceal Stairiul dha innsint ag Nioclas Toibin.
6.10—Wm. Reidy and Una Lord: 'Cello Contrasts.
6.40—Stock Exchange. Sports Results. Official Announcements.
6.45—News.
7. 0—A Gentleman of Ireland: The Romantic History of Charles Wogan, by Anna Kelly (Episode No. 1).
7.30—Symphony No. 4 in C minor: The Tragic (Schubert), played by Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra of New York.
8. 5—James Clarence Mangan Anniversary Programme: Talk by Austin Clarke, with verse speaking.
8.35—St. Patrick's Training College Choir: Maidean i mBeara (Reamonn), The Hundred Pipers (Roddie), Bheir mi o (D. Ua Braoin), Pilgrims' Chorus (Gillington), Jesu dulcis Memoria (Kothe), An Coisre (Reamonn), Hallelujah Chorus (Handel).
8.55—An Armchair and a Book: Sean O Faolain.
9.15—Hebridean Day.
10. 0—Nuacht (News): Gaelic.
10.10—News in English.
10.30—Irish Music and Song of the 18th Century, presented by Cormac Mac Fhionnlaoich, with illustrations by Cormac Mac Fhionnlaoich (Violin), Julia Gray (Piano), Dorothy Clifton ('Cello) and Maeve McGinley (Singer). Arrangements by Julia Gray.

### B.B.C. PROGRAMME

WAVELENGTHS—391.1 Metres (Scottish) and 449.1 Metres (Northern).

6.45—News in Norwegian. 7.0—Time, News, To-day's Programmes. 7.15—Stuart Robertson (bass-baritone) and chorus (records). 7.30—"Up in the Morning Early" Physical exercises (for younger men). Physical exercises (for older women). 7.55 "Lift Up Your Hearts." 8.0—Time, News, To-day's Programmes. 8.15—"Here We Come Gathering Nuts in May" (Records). 8.45—The Hotel Victoria Orchestra. 9.15—B.B.C. Scottish Orchestra. 9.55—"At Home To-day." 10.15—Time. Daily Service. 10.30—Organ, Tom Jenkins. 11.0—Schools. 12.0—Caravan Players. 12.30—'Cello Sonatas: Kathleen Jacobs and Harry Sutcliffe. 1.0—Time, News. 1.15—"The People's Festival" (by R. H. S. Crossman). 1.30—"Crazy Café."

2.0—Schools. 3.0—B.B.C Military Band. 3.30—Billy Cotton and his Band. 4.0—B.B.C Northern Orchestra. 4.35—"Elevenses," by Vera Wheatley. 5.0—News in Welsh. 5.5—Studio Service in Welsh.

5.20—Children's Hour. 6.0—Time. News. 6.15—James Moody, with Three in Harmony. 6.30—News in Norwegian. 6.45—B.B.C. Theatre Organ (Phil Finch). 7.0—Announcements. 7.20—Composer Cavalcade. No. 9—George Gershwin. 8.0—B.B.C. Orchestra. 9.0—Time, News. 9.20—"To-night's Talk 9.35—"Wild Violets" (a musical comedy operetta by Bruno Hardt Warden and Robert Stolz).

10.30—Greenock Gaelic Choir. 11.0—The Grosvenor House Dance Band (with Chips Chippindall, Eddy Briant and Celia). 11.35—Tudor Music: B.B.C. Singers (B) and Margaret Hodson (virginals).

12.0 midnight—Time, News and News in Norwegian.

### B.E.F. PROGRAMME

WAVELENGTHS—11 a.m. to 10.0 p.m.—804 Kc. (373.1 Metres). 10.0 p.m. to 11.0 p.m—877 Kc. (342.1 Metres). From 11 p.m. to 12.15 a.m. 342.1 will radiate the B.B.C. Programme.

11.0—Time, To-day's Programmes, followed by Records at Random. 11.45—George Baker (baritone). 12.0—"Monday Night at Eight" (a recording) 1.0—Time, News. 1.15—Alan Paul (at the piano). 1.30—B.B.C. 2.0—Organ (Cecil Chadwick). 2.20—What's New? (in jazz, dance music, film music, popular songs and light music. A review of the May records).

3.0—B.B.C 3.30—Billy Cotton and his Band. 4.0—Franz Lehar (a programme of his music on records, presented by Count Alfred Hessenstein, in honour of the composer's seventieth birthday). 4.30—Wullie Lindsay and Lex McLean. Edith Stevenson and her songs, The Davison Brothers and their harmonicas, James Findlay and his bones, George Bowie and his Quartet. 5.0—B.B.C. Scottish Orchestra. 5.30—Mantovani and his Dance Orchestra. 6.0—Foreign Languages Bulletin. 6.30—"The World Goes By." 7.0—Fats Waller and his Rhythm (records). 7.12—"Thirty-three Words." 7.20—B.B.C. 8.0—"Sandy's Half-Hour." 8.30—Felix Mendelssohn's Hawaiian Serenaders and Roland Peachy, George Barclay, and the Henderson Twins.

9.0—Foreign Languages Bulletin. 9.15—"What's On To-morrow?" 9.20—An excerpt from the Eric Maschwitz Revue, "New Faces" (from the Comedy Theatre, London).

10.0—The Victor Fleming Orchestra. 10.30—Records of Dance Bands.

## DIOCESE OF OSSORY

### ST. CANICE'S CATHEDRAL

Last Monday afternoon, at 3 o'clock Evensong in St. Canice's Cathedral, Kilkenny, the following Canons were installed:—The Rev. D. G. Norris, M.A., as Precentor; the Rev. W. A. Richardson, M.A., as Chancellor, and the Rev. A. H. S. Anderson, M.A., as Treasurer.

After Evensong a Chapter meeting was held in the Chapter Room, when those present were:—The Rev. Precentor Norris, Chairman; the Rev. Chancellor Richardson, the Rev. Treasurer Anderson, the Rev. Canons Fletcher, Butler and Chillingworth.

Congratulations from members of the Chapter were sent to the Very Rev. J. P. Phair, M.A., Dean of Ossory, on his election as Bishop of the United Dioceses of Ossory, Ferns and Leighlin.

## SAVE THE CHILDRE[N] FUND

### INFANT MORTALITY I[N] DUBLIN

At the annual general meeting of th[e] Save the Children Fund, held in the [...] Shop, Stephen's Green, yesterday, [...] stated in the committee's report that [...] the year no request for help ha[d] refused. Progress continued to be m[ade] the provision of a proper school meal i[n] several Dublin and country schools [...] adopted the mid day meal hour with [...]

The Hon. Treasurer, Mrs. A. McC[...] mentioned that £40 had been sent [...] relief of Polish and Finnish children [...] £20 had been contributed to the S[...] Fund.

Dr. R. Collis, in moving the adop[tion of] the reports, said that he particular[ly ...] the scheme of personal adoption of [...] by means of which each person could [...] the welfare of one particular child. [...] that owing, among other things, to t[he lack] of nursery schools, where mothers cou[ld leave] their children while they did their [...] work, the infant mortality rate in [...] was twice what it should be.

Dr. Hannah Purser seconded the [...] which was adopted.

Alderman A. Byrne, T.D., said that [...] mothers in the poorer quarters w[...] properly the lives of hundreds of [...] would be saved.

Mrs. H. Curran, Vice-President, [...] at the meeting.

The office-bearers for the year [...] President—Mrs. S. Kavanagh. Vi[ce-Presi]dent—Mrs. H. Curran. Joint Trea[surers ...] Dr. Angela Russell and Mrs. D. McC[...]

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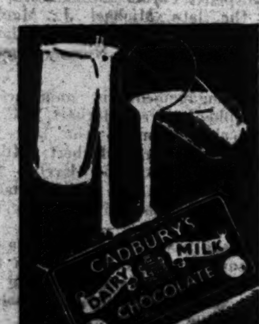


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**Wedding Presentation.**—Cork Rotary Club yesterday presented Mr. W. A. Smale, United States Consul at Cork, with a tea service to mark the occasion of his coming marriage to Miss Joan McKechnie, of Passage West, County Cork.

## TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS

Feis Ceoil, Dublin—10 a.m.
Dublin Board of Assistance—10.30 a.m.
Dublin District Court—10.30 a.m.
High and Circuit Courts—11 a.m.
William Conor's Paintings at Combridge's, Grafton street—11 a.m.
Royal Hibernian Academy Exhibition—National College of Art—11 a.m.
Dail and Senate, Leinster House—3 p.m.
Nursery Rescue and Protestant Children's Aid Society, 42 Dawson street—3.30 p.m.
Dublin Fishery Conservators, 110 Grafton street—3.30 p.m.
Gaelic League, Ard Craob, 39 Parnell square 8 p.m.
Irish Live Stock Exporters, Prosperity Chambers—8.30 p.m.
Boys' Brigade Inspection, Parochial Hall, Novara road, Bray—8 p.m.
Rathmines Technical Institute. Mock Shareholders' Meeting—8 p.m.
Labour Party Lecture at 29a Eden quay—9 p.m.
Kildare Hunt Ball, Gresham Hotel—9 p.m.

SPORT.

Racing, Punchestown—1.45.

AMUSEMENTS.

Gaiety Theatre—"Where Stars Walk."
Olympia Theatre—"The Scottish Regionals."
Abbey Theatre—"Mount Prospect."
Gate Theatre—"The Late Christopher Bean."
Metropole Cinema—"The Great Victor Herbert."
Grafton Cinema—"French Without Tears."
Corinthian Cinema—"The Spider's Web" and "Texas Stampede."
Theatre de Luxe Cinema—"Espionage Agent."
Theatre Royal—"Dust be my Destiny" and Variety.
Regal Rooms Cinema—"A Chump at Oxford."
The Green Cinema — "Karloff, Man They Could Not Hang" and "Parents on Trial."
Pavilion Cinema, Dun Laoghaire—"The Wizard of Oz."
Regent Cinema, Blackrock—"Lives of a Bengal Lancer."
Savoy Cinema—"Balalaika."
Capitol Cinema—"Reno"
Astor Cinema—"Night Must Fall."
Carlton Cinema—"Passport to Fame" and "Music Hall on Parade."
Adelphi Cinema—"At the Villa Rose" and "Island of Lost Men."


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# DAIL DEBATE ON THE MAGAZINE FORT

## MOTION TO SET UP SELECT COMMITTEE DEFEATED

**ASKING the Dail yesterday to express the opinion that, in order to allay public disquiet and anxiety, a Select Committee, consisting of seven deputies, should be established publicly to investigate and report on the causes of the failure to defend the Magazine Fort against the raid of 23rd December, 1939, Dr. T. F. O'Higgins (F.G., Leix-Offaly) accused the Government of having, during the last six months, by every trick and parliamentary device, dodged a discussion on the subject.**

**They had had a secret inquiry, he said, but the evidence and findings were withheld from Parliament. In other words, they had an attempt by the political chiefs to wrest the Army from the control of Parliament, and revive the greatest curse ever known in the country—a secret Army.**

## "PROCESSION OF VICTIMS"

Could anything have been better calculated to undermine public confidence than the despicable secrecy and shirking of Parliamentary investigation that was characteristic of the two Ministers over the last six months. The public had demanded that the rottenness that existed within the machinery should be brought to light.

The impression had been created that the private Army investigation was only a preliminary to further inquiry, and public confidence was temporarily restored; but when it was decided that the evidence at the inquiry and the findings were to be kept from the public, confidence was shattered again. To make matters worse and further to undermine confidence, they had a long procession of victims—individuals—sacrificed on the altar of Ministerial security.

### THE OFFICERS

There was nobody inside or outside the House, no decent man or woman, but regarded the unfortunate officers as scapegoats in order to save the position of one or two Ministers. They were relying on the powers of censorship to make people believe that suitable action had been taken against those responsible. No charge had ever been made against these officers, no opportunities given to them to defend themselves. They had been "turfed" out of their jobs because somebody had to go—and better the men lower down than those higher up.

Even if the officers had been found guilty, or even if there was a suspicion of blameworthiness, military regulations provided that they should be summoned to the inquiry and be present during the whole investigation. There was no evidence on which to formulate a charge against any of the officers. If there was, the Minister was following one blunder with another by not charging them and giving them an opportunity of proving their innocence.

### "THE SKELETON"

What, he asked, was the skeleton in the cupboard? What skeleton was the cupboard in? What was it the Government feared would be brought to the light of day? If blame had been found as a result of the private inquiry, what was the fear of a Parliamentary inquiry? The treatment of officers who had given good service to the State was despicable.

The events since December 24th had done incalculable harm to the Army.

Mr. P. McGILLIGAN (F.G., Dublin, S.E.) formally seconded the motion.

## MINISTER'S REPLY

### STORY OF THE RAID

Mr. OSCAR TRAYNOR (Minister for Defence) asked leave to read a statement regarding the raid on the Fort. He said that on the night of the raid the Fort was in charge of an officer of the Ordnance Service who had held the appointment of officer in charge of the Fort since 1924. He resided in married quarters within the Fort, and his duties as officer in charge, apart from the defence of the Fort, consisted in the receipt, storage, inspection and issue of ammunition. He had to assist him two N.C.O.'s and four privates.

The general responsibility for the defence of the Magazine devolved upon the officer commanding the Eastern Command. In February, 1939, that officer had made the officer in charge of the Fort immediately responsible to him for the defence of the Fort. Actually the immediate responsibility had, except for a short period in 1929 and 1930, been vested in the officer in charge of the Fort since 1924, but until February, 1939, his responsibility was directly to the officer commanding Islandbridge Barracks.

### THE GUARD

The Court of Inquiry set up following the raid had established that the *personnel* at the disposal of the officer in charge consisted on December 23 of the guard, comprised of one N.C.O. and six men, armed with rifles and one Lewis gun; a policeman, armed with a revolver, and a fire picket, composed of one N.C.O. and four men, armed with rifles. The *personnel* of the guard was warned for duty on the night of December 22.

Proceeding, the MINISTER gave the sequence of events at the Magazine Fort on the night of the raid, as described in the evidence taken by the court-martial.

### OFFICER HELD UP

Mr. TRAYNOR went on to say that the officer in charge of the Fort, returning at about 9.45 p.m., was held up at the entrance and brought to the fire piquet room. A few minutes later a gate-keeper of the park was also brought into the room, suffering from head injuries inflicted by the raiders. The party in the piquet room were detained until about 10.20 p.m., and during the time of their detention no attempt was made to organise resistance to the raiders, either before or after the arrival of the officer in charge. They heard the sounds of lorries moving in and out of the Fort.

At 10.20 p.m. the entire party, with the exception of the park gatekeeper, were removed to "C" Magazine, from which the ammunition had been taken by the raiders. Before they left, the leader of the raiders advised the party not to identify any of them subsequently, stating that there were, among the military, men who would tell if anyone identified them. Shortly after 11 p.m. the officer-in-charge of the Fort made his way out through a ventilator, and found that the raiders had gone, and that a relief party of troops had arrived.

Mr. TRAYNOR went on to tell the House that at 10.10 p.m., as a military policeman on duty at Islandbridge Barracks opened a gate to let out an Army car, he was fired on by one of a party of four armed men standing outside. The men then ran away. The policeman closed the gate, and reported the incident. While the telephone switchboard operator was putting through his call he found that the Magazine Fort line on the board was dead. Immediately Portobello Barracks were communicated with.

### ARRESTS IN THE PARK

The Duty Officer at once ordered the "stand-to" party at Portobello, consisting of one officer, two non-commissioned officers and ten men, to proceed to the Magazine Fort to investigate and report. The party left Portobello by lorry at 10.50 p.m., and entered the Park by the main entrance. As they turned into the road leading to the Fort the officer noticed four civilians in a crouching position about thirty yards from the lorry. Two of the men ran away, but the other two were taken into custody by the officer. Another civilian crouching near some railings was also taken into custody, and in his possession was found two loaded revolvers and 17 rounds of ammunition. When bringing this man back to the lorry the officer discovered a soldier's haversack containing five fully loaded revolvers and 35 rounds of ammunition. He then proceeded to the Fort, where the wife of the officer-in-charge told him that the Fort had been raided, and that she did not know where the guard was. Leaving a non-commissioned officer in charge, the officer proceeded to Islandbridge Barracks with his prisoners and escort. He placed his prisoners in the guardroom, and at 11.45 approximately reported by 'phone to the Command Duty Officer, Portobello, the capture of the prisoners and the fact that the Fort had been raided.

He was directed to return to the Fort and to post a new guard. Accompanied by three officers, and with some of his own men and a party of men from Islandbridge Barracks, he went to the fort, arriving there about midnight.

Having received the report of the officer in charge of the "stand-to" party, the Command Duty Officer telephoned the Orderly Officer, McKee Barracks, informed him of the situation and requested that the Chief of Staff be informed. He sent for a car for the Command Adjutant who resided outside barracks. The car arrived at the house at midnight. At 1 a.m. he 'phoned the Acting Officer Commanding Eastern Command, who resided at Howth, and that officer directed that a car be sent out for him. Shortly after 11.45 p.m., the Chief of Staff was informed by the Orderly Officer, McKee Barracks, that the Fort had been raided. The Chief of Staff immediately left home for the Fort, after first having arranged for the Adjutant-General and Quartermaster-General to be informed. He arrived at the Fort just before midnight and obtained reports from the officers in charge of the Fort and "stand-to" party.

### POLICE PATROLS

He ascertained that the police had been notified, but, as they had not arrived and telephonic communication with outside was not available, he proceeded to the Garda Dépôt with the Quartermaster-General, who had also arrived at the Fort. At the Dépôt he spoke to the Garda Commissioner by telephone, and arrangements were made for all Garda districts to be informed of the raid and to be directed to send out patrols to watch lorry movements. The Chief of Staff returned to the Fort at 12.30 a.m., gave instructions for the old guard and military policeman to be placed under arrest, had a discussion with the Command Adjutant, who had arrived at the Fort, and at 1 a.m. went to his office at the Department of Defence, where he wirelessed orders to all commands to take the greatest protective precautions for posts and ammunition and to assist the Gardai in the search for lorries. He telephoned all commands and brigades in elaboration of the radio messages, and told them that the Gardai, who were receiving separate instructions from their own headquarters, would get in touch with them. At 1.30 a.m. he informed him (the Minister for Defence) of the raid by telephone and of the steps he was taking to deal with the situation. He remained in his office until 3.30 a.m., receiving reports from the commands and brigades as to the steps taken.

The Command Adjutant arrived at Portobello Barracks at 12.15 a.m., was given details of the situation, and proceeded immediately to Islandbridge Barracks, where no additional information was available. He then went to the Magazine Fort, where he discussed the situation with the Chief of Staff. He then proceeded to Howth in the Army car he was using, met the Officer Commanding, and returned with him to Portobello Barracks. He went home at 4 a.m. On reaching barracks the Acting Officer, Eastern Command, made transport arrangement for any troop movements that might be required, and having ascertained that the Garda authorities had taken charge of the situation, left for home, arriving there at 4 a.m.

### DUTY OFFICER'S TASK

Proceeding, Mr. Traynor said that one of the tasks of the Duty Officer at Collins' Barracks was to visit at least once during the night the posts at which guards were provided by the unit in Collins' Barracks. As these posts were scattered, it was necessary that the visits be made by car. On the night in question, when the car reached the gate of Islandbridge Barracks on its way to Collins' Barracks the shooting incident occurred. The car returned to the transport yard, and when the Duty Officer of Collins' Barracks inquired why the car had not arrived he was informed that something had happened at the gate and that the car could not leave for the moment. The Duty Officer thereupon telephoned to the Orderly Officer at Islandbridge and inquired as to the non-arrival of the car. The car duly arrived at Collins' Barracks and, after questioning the driver as to the shooting incident, the Duty Officer proceeded on his round of inspection. Ten minutes later the Orderly Officer at Islandbridge again 'phoned Collins' Barracks and asked for the Orderly Officer there. The latter was unable to understand the message, and handed the 'phone to the Staff Officer.

He was informed that it was desirable that the Adjutant of Islandbridge Barracks—who resides in official quarters in Collins' Barracks—should report to his station immediately. After some conversation the Staff Officer stated that the information regarding the shooting was too indefinite, and suggested that further details should be obtained before the Adjutant was sent for. According to the evidence of the Orderly Officer at Islandbridge, he was informed by the Staff Officer that none of the officers in that barracks (Collins) were going to chase married officers for him. Shortly after, another officer in Islandbridge Barracks 'phoned to the Officers' Mess in Collins Barracks, the call being taken by an officer who was not on duty. He was informed of the shooting, and was requested to send to married quarters for the Adjutant of Islandbridge Barracks, which he did. The Adjutant, however, was not at home. The officer who received the telephone call reported its substance to the Orderly Officer and the Staff Officer, and was informed by the last-mentioned that he (the officer who reported) was taking too serious a view of the incident, and should forget about it.

### VEREY LIGHTS

At about midnight the Orderly Officer at Islandbridge again 'phoned to the Orderly Officer at Collins Barracks, and stated that Verey lights had been seen over the Magazine Fort, and requested that six men should be sent from Collins Barracks to investigate. The Orderly Officer at Collins Barracks, however, thought it wise to obtain the permission of the Staff Officer before sending the men. He (the Orderly Officer) reported the request to the Staff Officer, who was then in his bedroom, and was instructed to inquire from the Orderly Officer at Islandbridge if he had the authority of Command Headquarters to requisition the party. He did so, and the Orderly Officer at Islandbridge informed him that he had no authority to requisition the party, and that he was acting on his own initiative, as he thought that the Fort had been attacked. On this being reported to the Staff Officer, he directed the Orderly Officer to inform the Orderly Officer at Islandbridge that the party would not be supplied. A similar request for men was made to the Orderly Officer at McKee Barracks, and he at once complied with the request.

Meanwhile, shortly before midnight, the Quartermaster-General, who resided at Collins Barracks, was informed by telephone from the Chief-of-Staff's residence of the raid on the Magazine Fort. He immediately telephoned to the Officers' Mess in Collins Barracks and informed one of the regular officers not on duty of the raid, and instructed him to get a party out at once to the Fort. The Quartermaster-General then proceeded to the Magazine Fort. The officer who received the telephone message informed the orderly officer of the Quartermaster-General's instructions, but the men were not sent to the fort.

### AMMUNITION RECOVERED

The staff officer, Collins Barracks, in his evidence, maintained that he did not hear of the raid on the fort until lunch-time on the 24th December. Both he and the orderly officer, however, must have known that something very unusual had taken place at Islandbridge Barracks or the Magazine Fort (more especially having regard to the Quartermaster-General's message), and it would have been a simple matter for them to have sent *personnel* to either place to ascertain the facts.

The Minister proceeded to refer to the search for the ammunition, and said that it was not until 26th December that any information became available which enabled the military to be used. As a result of information received on that day, the City of Dublin and the Wicklow-Kildare area were cordoned by the military while an intensive search was carried out by the Garda. The search continued until virtually nine-tenths of the missing ammunition was recovered.

## SUCCESS OF THE RAID

### THE PRINCIPAL CAUSES

Continuing, Mr. TRAYNOR said—From the facts elicited by the Court of Inquiry I formed the conclusion that the successful raiding of the fort was directly attributable to the following causes:—

1. The failure of the military policeman to carry out his orders as to the precautions to be taken when opening the entrance gates to the fort after dark, and his failure to offer any resistance to the raider who held him up or to attempt in any way to alarm the guard.

2. The failure of the sentry on No. 1 post to fire on the raiders in the defence of his post or to make any attempt to alarm the guard.

3. The failure of the guard commander to ensure that the door of the guardroom was locked, and his inaction when presented with the opportunity of disarming the raider at No. 2 post.

4. The failure of the sentry on No. 2 post to attack the raider who attempted to disarm him. This failure on the part of the Volunteer was largely due to the action of the guard commander, who assisted in placing him in a position where he could be disarmed and advised him to hand over his rifle to the raider.

5. The failure of the officer in charge of the Fort to appreciate his responsibility, as such in that after he was arrested by the raiders, and fully understood the situation, he made no attempt to organise resistance to the raiders in an effort to retrieve the position.

### "SPIRIT OF LAXITY"

The MINISTER commented on the spirit of laxity and the lack of observance of orders for the defence of the Fort. Summing up the evidence, as far as the Eastern Command was concerned, there was a complete absence of inspection of the Fort from the point of view of defence. The Acting Officer Commanding the Eastern Command, a colonel, did not even visit the Fort after the raid, and his inaction indicated that he was indifferent to his responsibilities, while the Staff Officer, Collins Barracks, a Commandant, showed gross indifference to his responsibilities after the raid. The orderly officer at Collins Barracks, a second lieutenant of the Volunteer Force, performed his duty in a most irresponsible manner, and his evidence at the Court of Inquiry was regarded as inaccurate and untruthful.

The Minister then detailed the disciplinary action taken on the findings of the Court of Inquiry, including the placing on half-pay of the officer commanding the Eastern Command and the acting officer commanding; the placing on half-pay of the officer in charge of the Fort, the offer of an opportunity to the Staff Officer and the Orderly Officer, Collins Barracks, to resign voluntarily, and the censuring or admonishing of five other officers.

The Minister said that he was satisfied that the causes of the raid could not be attributed to defects in the general administration of the Defence Forces or any of its branches, or in the general efficiency organisation or discipline thereof. He was prepared to admit that the discipline in the Fort and in Collins Barracks on the night of the raid was not what it should have been, but, he added, the responsibility for that position lay with individual officers, and reflected no discredit on the general behaviour of the Defence Forces, regular or reserve.

### COST OF THE AMMUNITION

Mr. TRAYNOR expressed the view that it was regrettable, even though the raid was serious, that certain deputies should have endeavoured to paint the blackest possible picture of the occurrence. The cost of the stolen ammunition, ninety per cent. of which had been recovered, was £4,000, and represented not much over five per cent. of the reserve stocks in the Fort, and less than three per cent. if the stocks stored in magazines and barracks throughout the country were taken into consideration. All the steps humanly possible had been taken to ensure that such an event would not easily occur again.

Dr. O'HIGGINS asked if any officer had been charged with any offence, and the Minister admitted that no charge had been made.

Dr. O'HIGGINS—Beyond a vague and scandalous insinuation.

### MR. McGILLIGAN'S COMMENT

Mr. P. McGILLIGAN (F.G., Dublin) said that an appropriate postscript to the statement of the Minister would be "My resignation has been accepted." The Minister seemed to have no appreciation of the repercussion of the recital upon himself and his colleagues.

Mr. McGilligan said that there were people who put their professional lives at the disposal of the Ministers. It was a discreditable manœuvre on the part of the Ministers to save themselves and their positions by sacrificing men who had served the Army loyally and had not been found guilty or even charged. These men had been sacrificed to save two worthless people like the Ministers. The Minister stood on judgment on others. The first person on whom he stood on judgment was the military policeman—one of the few who had appeared in court and had been acquitted. In fact, two of the three men in the forefront of his conclusions who had got an opportunity of appearing in public had been acquitted. As for the others, the House did not know to what extent they had been allowed to defend themselves; how far those men realised that charges would be brought against them, and how far they were called to defend themselves.

### CODES OF DISCIPLINE

The Defence Forces of this country were subject to two codes of discipline—for offences contrary to civil law in the civil courts, and then by a certain court of their own. In this instance they had been convicted by the happy device of no charges being brought against them. According to the regulations no officer could be put out of the Army as the result of a charge unless he was in a position to meet his accusers. Putting men on half-pay was unknown in the Army as a punishment. The Government had operated a punishment unknown to the code against two officers at a trial conducted in breach of the regulations. The Court of Inquiry had dealt with nobody of higher rank than themselves. Were the ranks of the members of the court deliberately chosen so that the court would act as a buffer, to lessen the shock that otherwise might come upon the two Ministers?

Reading from a newspaper cutting, Mr. McGilligan said that evidence had been given that a sentry was standing in light looking out into darkness. Had the Minister any responsibility for that position of the sentry, he asked.

Mr. MacENTEE (Minister for Industry and Commerce)—None whatever.

Mr. McGILLIGAN, continuing, said that one of the sentries was not seventeen years of age. Was that the responsibility of the Minister?

## MR. MacENTEE'S SPEECH

### A GRAVE SITUATION

Mr. MacENTEE, Minister for Industry and Commerce, said that the two speeches made in support of the motion were almost calculated to make even the most sanguine of them despair of the future of the country.

General MULACHY asked what did the Minister for Industry and Commerce know about this. The Minister was wasting the time of the House.

Mr. MacENTEE said that he proposed to speak to the motion. He went on to say that when he learned of the episode he took a very grave view of it. He thought it was a portent that there were forces in this country which endangered not only the future of the State but the future of the whole people. He felt that the situation was a matter for the most serious consideration of the Government, and he had said so. Instead of trying to make political capital out of this grave situation he thought that all parties might have taken counsel together to prevent a repetition of the occurrence.

Mr. MULCAHY asked what opportunity had the Government given for counsel.

Mr. MacENTEE said that the Opposition had only one purpose, and that was to keep the debate upon as low and humiliating a plane as possible. It was quite clear that this was a matter that warranted their serious consideration. Instead, the occurrance had been exaggerated in order to prejudice the Government in handling the situation. Dr. O'Higgins had gone so far as to say that their reserve stores of ammunition had been stolen. In fact, the amount of ammunition that was now missing was infinitesimal.

Mr. MacENTEE added that the whole matter had been treated extravagantly by the Opposition in an effort to get the utmost political capital out of it.

### "A VICTIM WANTED"

Mr. MacENTEE (continuing) said that the Opposition did not want a fair investigation—but a fair investigation had taken place. What the Opposition wanted was a scapegoat. That was why the motion had been put down. The Opposition wanted a victim—a victim which would bring them some political kudos. In his view, that was a grave abuse of their responsibilities. The Minister should not be attacked for laxity. The one fact that emerged from the occurrence was that there was a certain laxity, for which the Minister or no member of the Government could be held responsible.

It was not the duty of the Minister for Defence to act as O.C. of the Army. If there were any defects in the relationship between the Minister and the Army, it was due to the Act passed by the House after the 1924 meeting.

### DR. O'HIGGINS'S REPLY

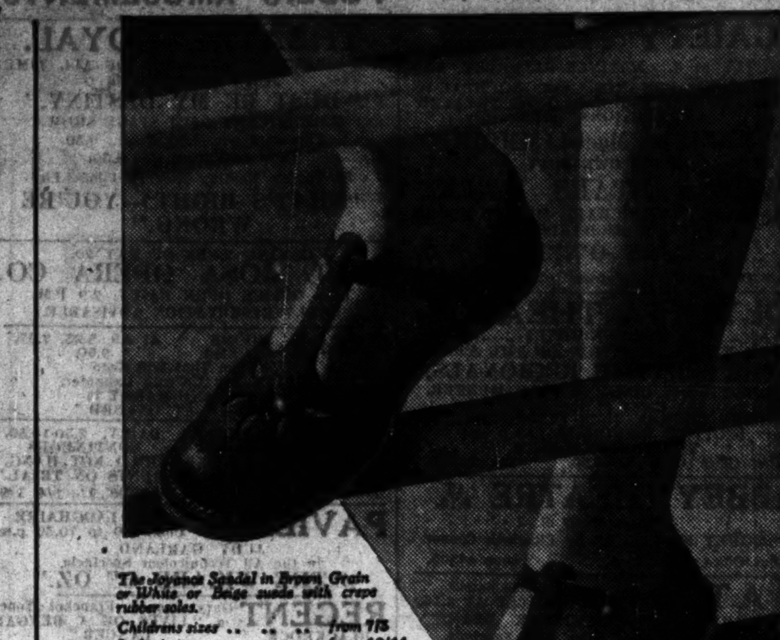
Dr. O'HIGGINS, replying, said that the Minister for Industry and Commerce had shown himself anxious to throw mud on officers who wore the uniform of Ireland and to imply that the Court of Inquiry had found those officers guilty in connection with the raid. The secret trial and vindictive action taken would stir up reaction even in Russia. The findings had been suppressed because they pointed to men higher up than those in uniform.

The motion was defeated by 50 votes to 31.

### ARMY PENSIONS VOTE

The debate on the vote for Army Pensions was resumed, and, when Mr. TRAYNOR had replied, the vote was agreed to.

Lieutenant-Colonel T. F. Tweed, Chief of Staff, and political adviser to Mr. Lloyd George since 1926, died yesterday in Hendon, Middlesex, Cottage Hospital. He was fifty. He had been ill since the end of February, and had a relapse early in April, suffering several heart attacks.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## FUNERAL

### MR. GERALD GRIFFIN

Much regret has been caused by the death of Mr. Gerald Griffin, which occurred at his residence, Tigh-na-Mara, Skerries. Mr. Griffin, who was well known in North County Dublin, was for a lengthy period agricultural manager at Portrane Mental Hospital. He retired on pension about four years ago.

There was a large attendance of clergy and the general public at the funeral, which took place yesterday from St. Patrick's Church, Skerries, to HolmPatrick Cemetery.

The chief mourners were:—Mrs. Griffin (widow), Gerald, Patrick and Andrew Griffin (sons); the Misses Molly, Kitty and Sheila Griffin (daughters); J. Griffin (brother), Mrs. O'Leary (sister), G. O'Leary, Joseph, Nicholas and Thomas Fitzpatrick (brothers-in-law); Mrs. Murphy, Mrs. Clinton, Mrs. Byrne and Miss Fitzpatrick (sisters-in-law); Mrs. G. Griffin and Mrs. P. Griffin (daughters-in-law); Mr. P. J. Murphy, Secretary, County Council; Mr. J. Byrne and Mr. J. Clinton (relatives).

The Very Rev. P. Ryan, P.P., and the Rev. L. Collier, C.C., officiated.

## LOST £1,672 ON BUTTONS

### DUE TO CHANGE IN FASHIONS

The final report of the Committee on Public Accounts for the year 1937-38 was issued to deputies yesterday, together with minutes of evidence taken from the accounting officers of various Departments.

Arising out of the report of the Comptroller and Auditor-General concerning the loss of £1,672 on the sale of buttons for use in Gaeltacht industries, the Committee expressed itself as gravely concerned at the loss of so large an amount. A considerable portion of the loss might have been avoided by the exercise of greater care and foresight by the responsible officers and discretion in purchasing and estimating requirements. The Committee asked for an assurance from the Minister for Finance that the purchase and control of stores for this service was now on a satisfactory basis.

The note of the Auditor-General on the matter stated: "Included in the receipts is a sum of £67 10s. from the sale of buttons which were purchased during the years 1934-35 and 1935-36 at a cost of £1,739 12s. Arising from changes in fashions and designs of knitwear, these buttons proved to be unsuitable and were disposed of. The authority of the Department of Finance has been sought for the write-off of the loss, amounting to £1,672."

The Chairman (Mr. J. M. Dillon, T.D.) remarked to Mr. M. Deegan (Secretary to the Department of Lands), who was being examined by the Committee in respect of the Gaeltacht services, that that seemed to be a very discreditable transaction which would be hard to justify.

Mr. Deegan said it did look bad and explained that the loss was due to the change in fashions. The person who had held the position of technical head previously and who had been ordering this class of buttons had left the service about the end of 1934. Up to the end of 1934 and the beginning of 1935 they were without a technical head designer for this particular work and the orders were continued. When the new designer, appointed about 1935, came to look into things she found that the buttons in stock were unsuitable. These buttons were manufactured locally.

In connection with the hiring of halls for the use of the Volunteer Force, it was pointed out that in many instances little or no use was made of the halls, and unnecessary expense might be avoided if definite instructions were issued regarding the conditions on which the premises should be retained. The Committee understands that the Volunteer Force is being reorganised on a new basis and that control will be very considerably improved.

In connection with the case in which a soldier-clerk committed a series of fraudulent transactions over a period of more than two years, it was obvious, the Committee state, that very considerable latitude had been given to this man, since he was able to commit embezzlement in 46 cases which were brought to ligh. Repeated offences of this kind in the Army pointed to weakness in the system of control.

## WHY ENGINEER LOST HIS JOB

### PLEA IN LARCENY CHARGES

When the Probation Act was applied to charges relating to the larceny of six overcoats from city hotels, cafés and cinemas, against David A. Burke, n engineer, of Charleston avenue, Rathmines, it was stated that he had lost his job when he was called up for service with the Volunteer Force. When eventually he was granted exemption, he had to start again at the bottom of the ladder, receiving only one-third of his former salary.

A detective stated that the defendant was an educated man, and was not the type who was brought to Court in a criminal guise.

### BURGLARY SENTENCE

Denis Brady (31), Lower Kevin street, Dublin, was sent to prison for four months for breaking into seven houses in Emorville avenue, Harrington street and Dufferin avenue, and stealing about £5 from gas meters.

### SENT FOR TRIAL

Norman Rogers, factory manager, native of Manchester, no fixed address, was returned for trial in custody on charges of having on March 21 last fraudulently converted £88 entrusted to him by Messrs. James Magee and Sons, Parker Hill, Rathmines, for the payment of wages; of fraudulently converting £50 entrusted to him on January last for banking; and of having fraudulently converted between September, 1939, and March last, £69 10s. entrusted to him for the purchase of insurance stamps.

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The rate in the pound of the Municipal Rate for the service of the year ending on the 31st March, 1941, is twenty shillings and ninepence.

The Rate Books are now in my custody, and may be inspected by any person affected thereby at the City Hall, Cork Hill, Dublin, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. during the fourteen days next following the date hereof, exclusive of Sundays and Bank Holidays.

Signed the 30th day of April, 1940.
P. J. HERNON,
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Signed on behalf of the Diocesan Council of Dublin.
R. E. WHITEHEAD, Secretary.


ANNIVERSARY AUCTION, in aid of the Female Orphan House, N.C. road, Dublin. (Founded 1790.) Sale to be held in the Diocesan Hall, Baggot street, on FRIDAY, the 10th MAY, commencing at 1 p.m. (Trams 9 and 10 pass the door.) On View 9th May, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., and on Morning of Sale.
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COUNTY OF DUBLIN.
REVISION OF THE LISTS OF JURORS, 1940.

Notice is hereby given that the Court for the Revision of the Lists of Jurors of the several Districts of the County of Dublin will be opened by me at the
COURTHOUSE, GREEN STREET, DUBLIN,
On MONDAY, the 6th MAY, 1940,
At 11.30 o'clock a.m.,
And will be continued from day to day until completed.

The Lists of Jurors for the County of Dublin for revision will be found for inspection at the offices of the Secretary of the Dublin County Council, 11 Parnell square, Dublin, the Borough Manager, Town Hall, Dun Laoghaire, and the Town Clerk, Howth, and also at my office at the Law Courts, Chancery place, Dublin, and will continue open for inspection up to the said 6th May, 1940. Any person whose name is set forth on such Lists of Jurors who desires to have his name removed from such Lists by me, must attend at the court above named, and give evidence as to the grounds on which he claims to have his name so removed. Any person qualified and liable to serve as a Juror, but exempt from so serving by reason only of being included amongst the persons mentioned in Part II. of the First Schedule to the Juries Act, 1927, may apply in the prescribed form to have his or her name included in such Lists.
Dated this 15th day of April, 1940.
SEAMUS O CONCHUBHAIR,
Registration Officer,
County Registrar, Dublin.
Law Courts, Chancery place, Dublin.
24/Z. 2356. W.H.Co

TIMBER FOR SALE.

There is available for Sale on the State Forest Lands at Ballyfad, Co. Wexford, a quantity of Timber, comprising:—
5,933 DOUGLAS FIR } Standing Poles, suitable
227 LARCH } for Pitprops.
The Poles may be seen at any time by arrangement with the Foreman-in-Charge, Mr. W. Freeman, Newtown, Inch, Co. Wexford. Offers, which should be marked "Tender, Timber, Ballyfad," will be received up to the 11th May, 1940, and should be addressed to The Secretary, Department of Lands (Forestry Division), 88 Merrion square, Dublin, C.17.
The Department does not undertake to accept the highest or any Tender.
25/Z. 2420. W.H.Co.

CONTROL OF IMPORTS ACTS, 1934 AND 1937.

Orders under the above Acts have been made by the Government appointing for the Quota Period 1st June to 30th November, 1940, the under-mentioned Quotas:— Quantity.
Silk and Artificial Silk Hose ... 240,000 Pairs
(Quota Order No. 12)
Laminated Springs .............. A quantity equal in
(Quota Order No. 36) ...... value to £1,000.
and for the Quota Period 1st June, 1940, to 31st May, 1941:—
Candles, Tapers and Nightlights
(Quota Order No. 22) .............. 200 cwts.
SUGAR (CONTROL OF IMPORT) ACT, 1936.
An Order has been made by the Government prohibiting, during the period from the 1st May, 1940, to 30th April, 1941, the importation, save under licence, of Sugar not manufactured or produced in Ireland.
These Orders will be on Sale in due course, and may be purchased from the Government Publications Sale Office, 3/4 College street, Dublin, or through any bookseller.
Department of Industry and Commerce,
Dublin, 1st May, 1940.
25/Z. 2428. W.H.Co.

## CHURCH NOTICES.

ST. ANN'S CHURCH.
THE ASCENSION DAY.
(THURSDAY MAY 2nd).
7.30—Holy Communion
10. 0—Matin.
11.30—Holy Communion and Sermon.
1. 5—Intercessions.
8. 0—Festival Evensong and Sermon.
Preacher: Rev. M. A. HANDY, M.A.

THE MAGDALEN CHURCH, LOWER LEESON STREET.
A SERVICE OF HEALING
Will be held This (Wednesday) Afternoon at 3 o'clock.

# The Irish Times

WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, 1940.

## NEWS SUMMARY

**IRELAND**

A motion by Dr. O'Higgins, in the Dail yesterday, to set up a committee of seven deputies to investigate and report on the cause of the failure to defend the Magazine Fort, Dublin, when it was raided on December 23rd last, was defeated by 50 votes to 31.—(Page 5.)

**GREAT BRITAIN**

Mr. Sean Lemass (Minister for Supplies) and Dr. Ryan (Minister for Agriculture) yesterday met Lord Woolton (British Minister of Food), Mr. Burgin (Minister of Supply), and other British Ministers in London to discuss various difficulties that have arisen since the beginning of the war. The Irish Ministers and their staffs were entertained by the Dominions Secretary (Mr. Anthony Eden) at luncheon.—(Page 5.)

British merchant shipping is being diverted from the Mediterranean, and is to travel via alternative routes, including the Cape.—(Page 5.)

**ABROAD**

The war in Norway, according to the latest advices, now has reached a critical stage. The German High Command claims that the vital rail junction of Dombaas has fallen into their hands.—(Page 5.)

**SPORTING**

At Punchestown yesterday Baldonnell won the Tickell Cup, National Lad the Kildare Hunt Cup, Knockadroleen the Prince of Wales Plate, Dan Kelly the Punchestown Cup, Greek Minstrel the Maiden Plate, and Ballyboe the Drogheda Plate.—(Page 10.)

At Newmarket Majano won the Hastings Stakes.—(Page 10.)

**FINANCIAL**

Apart from Gilt-edged securities, which secured further useful gains, prices in the London Stock Markets yesterday made a very mixed showing. Business was on a small scale.—(Page 3.)

Home Funds and Bank shares maintained a firm tone in the Dublin Stock Markets yesterday. Higher prices ruled for some local Industrials, but British Equities were dull and lifeless.—(Page 3.)

## Fighting in Norway

After twenty days' fighting in Central Norway the German High Command claims to have won the first substantial victory of the campaign. In a special Order of the Day Herr Hitler has decorated General von Falkenhorst with the knight's insignia of the Iron Cross, and there was much rejoicing throughout Germany yesterday. Although no official confirmation was available in London, it seems that the Germans have achieved a strategical success of some importance. Advancing along the Gudbrands Valley between Hamar and Aandalsnes, General von Falkenhorst's troops have occupied Dombaas, a road and railway junction which constituted a "key" position in the area; and, advancing along the Oster Valley, they have reached Stören, a junction on the Oslo-Trondheim railway. There are only two railway lines running to the north of Oslo. Dombaas is situated on one and Stören on the other, and a railway line of about one hundred miles in length links the two junctions. Possession of Stören will give the Germans command of the line from Trondheim to Oslo. It also will mean that contact has been made between the relatively small body of troops at Trondheim and von Falkenhorst's main forces in Central Norway. Finally, it may involve the virtual isolation of the Allied troops that have been landed in the neighbourhood of Kristiansund and Alesund; for the Germans are at Bergen, and may be able now to advance rapidly along the coast.

In these circumstances, it is quite possible that the Allies may be compelled to withdraw completely from Central Norway, and to concentrate all their activities on the North. For the moment they are at a heavy disadvantage. Their superior sea-power has enabled them to land fairly large bodies of troops at various points between Alesund and Narvik; but the Germans control all the air bases of any value in Norway, and have a definite, although by no means overwhelming, superiority in the air. It is not easy to gain a clear idea of the fighting that has been in progress for the last three weeks; but it seems that the Germans have been employing the tactics that served them so well during the campaign in Poland. Before the Allies had had time to realise what was happening General von Falkenhorst had landed large numbers of tanks, armoured cars, and other forms of mechanised transport at Oslo, whither the Germans still have an almost uninterrupted passage by sea. The Allies have been hampered in consequence of the length of their communications across the North Sea, particularly since, while the Germans have been able to harass their movements from the air, they have been unable to retaliate to any appreciable extent. The lack of a proper air base in Northern Norway has been a severe handicap which only time can remove. General Carton de Wiart's forces, therefore, have been fighting against great odds.

The Germans have been advancing with the help of mechanised divisions, followed by low-flying aeroplanes which have been machine-gunning the Allied troops. Their bulletins speak of "obstinate and desperate combat," indicating that, in spite of their numerical and mechanical inferiority, the Allied troops have been giving a good account of themselves; and the Germans seem to be worried by the activities of Norwegian guerrillas, who are taking full advantage of their knowledge of the country. There is no disposition either in London or in Paris to take a gloomy view of the situation. Time definitely is on the Allied side in Norway. So long as the British control Narvik their main object will be achieved: they will be able to stop the transport of iron ore to Germany. Furthermore, unless they suffer a really crushing blow at sea, they will be able to send reinforcements of men and material to Norway at their leisure. The most immediate danger from the Allied point of view is that General von Falkenhorst's early success may tilt the balance in Italy against Great Britain and France. Italy's entry into the war would be a blow to the Allies, although not necessarily a serious blow; and there are signs that Signor Mussolini is preparing to strike. Certain British ships have been sent round the Cape instead of through the Mediterranean. There are no illusions in London or Paris regarding the Italian attitude; and, if Signor Mussolini goes to war, he will not find the Allies unprepared. Events in Norway may be decisive in Rome; but the war is only starting, and the last word will not be spoken in the Palazzo Venezia.

## 20/9d.

Dublin's new rate is even heavier than was expected. Early last month the City Manager gave notice that it would reach the record figure of 20s. 6d. in the pound; actually, it amounts to 20s. 9d. The additional threepence is due to two new demands. One came from the Department of Local Government, which, as Mr. Hernon explained on Monday night, required £20,000, instead of the estimated £5,000, towards the cost of unemployment relief schemes. The other was an additional demand for more than £8,000 on the account of vocational education. It is hardly surprising that the ratepayers of Dublin have taken alarm. Few of them would grumble if so severe an increase in the rates were designed for some radical improvement of the city's conditions—if, for example, the rising cost of civic administration during the last few years was the result of rehousing on a radical scale. They have every cause to grumble, however, when they are asked to bear burdens which ought to be a common charge upon the whole country. The present Government has shown itself expert in accountancy; its Budgets have been balanced more than once by financial *legerdemain* of a masterly order; and one of its smartest transactions was to shift a considerable share of the cost of unemployment relief from the national Exchequer to the local authorities. Dublin, as the great lake into which flow the streams of unemployed from all parts of the country, has suffered from this practice more severely than she had any right to expect. Unemployed people are not an asset to a city, and it is wrong that a city which has enough of its own should be asked to pay for the refugees from other districts. Frankly, we see little hope for a successful onslaught on the slum problem until this incubus is removed from the Corporation's shoulders. Unemployment is on the increase; next year, at the present rate of going, more Dubliners will be out of work, and more men will have arrived from the provinces to join them in the "bread-lines"; the rates will be higher still. Will the Corporation, in these circumstances, have the courage to ask for money towards the slum campaign and other decent things? It is true that the City Manager is doing his best to save money, and has reduced expenditure on several important services; but, as we have remarked previously, these reductions in themselves will make for unemployment—and, in any event, there is a limit to economies on civic services. Unless grave harm is to be done, Mr. de Valera's Government must recast its unemployment policy, or lack of policy. Its demands upon the municipality are compelling the Corporation to restrict necessary works, and thereby to create further unemployment. How many men could be employed upon a really elaborate plan of slum clearance and house building if the Corporation were not terrified of the effect upon the public of a steep increase of rates! The policy of robbing Peter to pay Paul is bad enough, but, when it becomes a matter of robbing Peter to impoverish Paul, folly exceeds itself.

## Making the Best of It

We salute the hotel in an English east coast town that advertises a reduction of one-third in its daily terms, from Whitsun onwards, for any day on which loose mines explode on the pier, promenade or foreshore, or any day on which German aircraft drop a bomb in the immediate vicinity. There is a touch of the "Bull-dog breed" about the offer which should appeal to all patriotic Englishmen, while people of other races are likely to be attracted by the sporting chance of reducing their holiday expenditure. Of course, the prospect of visits from mines or aircraft may be remote, but, if they happened, we know hotel keepers who would charge for them as extras under the heading "Naval and Military Displays." The action of this English hotel suggests possible developments of the idea. Hotels in the vicinity of the English lakes and other notoriously moist districts might offer a reduction on the bill for every day that more than a certain number of inches of rain descended. In the same way, the Anglers' Rest could compensate fishermen guests if there was more rest than angling. Hotels that advertised "glorious view of sea and mountains" would knock off a few shillings for foggy days, and those that vaunted "excellent cuisine" would temper the financial wind to the indigestion caused by the dinner having been prepared by the second kitchen maid while the chef was suffering from indisposition or a bad hang-over. In certain cases visitors even could be insured against death from heart failure on receipt of the bill. The day yet may come when we will find Irish hotels proclaiming that they have the best insurance rates, or that they allow "the largest discount for bad weather," though we are not too hopeful about it. We can imagine, without difficulty, the spirited argument that might take place between an Irish hotel-keeper and a guest from some other country as to whether it was "a day of torrential rain" or "a fine, soft day, thanks be," and our sympathy goes out to the stranger within our gates who is unable to appreciate our "nice drop of rain," even when assured that it will do the crops good and make the mangold-wurzel blossom like the rose. It is on record that hundreds of daring souls who have adventured over here from time to time from the largest of the adjacent islands have expressed disappointment at our rational behaviour and the pleasant calm of our existence. They had been brought up—with the assistance of some of our fellow-countrymen—to expect a modern Donnybrook Fair, supplied with the latest types of lethal weapons, and, after a week or two in this country, complain bitterly that things are much livelier at home. We trust, however, that no Irish hotel will attempt to assuage their lacerated feelings by promising a reduction of one-third in the bill on any day when a bomb explosion occurs, or shots are fired, within a radius of twenty-five miles. It is folly to put temptation in anyone's way.

## Multum in Parvo

The wise ones of the world will be genuinely interested, as well as diverted, to read of the diminutive electric motor which at present is on view at the Swiss National Exhibition in Zurich. This incredible machine, which is the invention of Monsieur Fernand Huguenin, a Swiss watchmaker, has been embedded in half a pearl, and the half-pearl itself mounted on an ordinary tie-pin. Although it weighs only the merest fraction of a gramme, the little motor is said to work perfectly. The average newspaper reader, perhaps, will treat this news to no greater attention than he would bestow on any other kind of freak about which he may read so often while he butters his morning toast or jogs home from work in the evening. It may seem no more extraordinary, no more foreboding, than that somebody in Australia has managed to inscribe the Lord's Prayer not once, but twice on a threepenny piece, or that somebody else has been able to paint perfect miniature pictures that are visible only under a powerful microscope. Such whims he will dismiss as a rather foolish and ineffectual occupation—diverting, to be sure, but a great waste of talent. Yet a certain Italian by the name of Marconi once made a crude little box and a tangle of wires, and discovered in them the miracle of wireless telegraphy. The world did not pay much attention to his first little boxes. The world thought he was mad. Then there were those two American mechanics—Wright was the name—who made a queer contraption out of linen and strips of wood, put an engine on the front of it and said that one day it would fly. One day in 1903 it did fly—for twelve seconds along a lonely beach in North Carolina. To-day the descendants of that innocent machine fly round the world, and have brought the farthest places of the earth within a few days' reach of each other. There were, too, those rugged, belching monsters that once would have made people laugh if they were not so frightened, and that can be recognised only dimly to-day in streamlined trains and great factories. What will be the fate of this new tiny motor that has been invented by a Swiss watchmaker? Will it, too—this minute engine that is not any larger than a grain of rice—cause a new revolution in the world that we know? Having seen so many strange powers come already out of far less likely material, we are prepared to believe anything. What will be the ultimate end of the watchmaker's little engine? Might it not be the seed of a new and better life for mankind, or, like the aeroplane, may its possibilities of terror and destruction outweigh even the blessings that it might bring? Some day we will know—to our cost or otherwise.

## FROM "THE TIMES"

*(BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT.)*

### THE SET-BACK AT TRONDHEIM

*The Times* remarks in a leading article to-day:—The junction between the German forces based on Oslo and the garrison of Trondheim, if it has not already been established, is now certainly imminent. This consolidation of the enemy's strength has been foreseen for some days, since the full power and rapidity of his thrust up the valleys of the Gudbrandsdal and Osterdal has been understood. A gallant attempt to withstand it has been made by the hastily mobilised Norwegian forces north of Oslo, and has been supported by Allied troops flung across the North Sea in no less haste, and then hurried forward in the direction of the Baltic; but the advantage in time secured by the long-prepared assault upon a small and unoffending neutral has proved too great. Execration of the means by which that advantage was gained must not preclude recognition of the vigour with which it has been turned to account.

The hope of quickly cutting off and reducing the German troops in Trondheim has for the moment failed, and it is now the Allied force operating south of the city that finds itself attacked from two sides and in danger of being cut off. In effect, the Nazis have closed their grip on the whole of Southern Norway, containing the richest and most populous regions. The Allies are placed upon the defensive, though their troops in the immediately threatened area have recently been reinforced, both in numbers and in equipment, and may be trusted to give a good account of themselves. At the same time, and on a longer view, the principal task henceforth is clearly to establish and hold a line that will bar the access of the invader to the long, narrow strip of country running between the Swedish frontier and the North Sea, and extending far into the Arctic circle. Behind this line, relying on the secure guarantee of sea power, they have to build up military and aerial strength sufficient to overtake the start gained by the enemy, and to enable them, in due time, to resume the offensive and clear Norwegian soil of the invaders.

While it would be foolish, adds *The Times*, to make light of the grave difficulties now confronting the Allied forces, those which beset the invading armies are also very real, and are likely to prove more enduring. Time, which fought for the Nazis in the first stages and enabled them to win the race for Trondheim, in the long run should favour the defence. In the first place, it must never be forgotten that the Germans are no whit better placed for securing their supplies of Swedish iron ore—one of the main objects of the whole campaign—than they were when our minefields first closed the Narvik route. Secondly, the arrival of their reinforcements and supplies by sea is harassed continually by the Allied navies, which keep our own lines of communication by sea comparatively invulnerable. And in spite of the enemy's advantage in the air, he has already suffered severely in our bombing attacks, and may suffer much more when once we can bring adequate forces of short-range fighting aircraft to contest his supremacy. In order to do that, it is essential to secure a satisfactory base for these machines on the unpromising ground of Norway. This, then, is the most urgent of our immediate needs. When it is satisfied there may be a rapid shifting of the balance in what is, at this phase, undoubtedly the crucial element.

To-day's Engagements in Page 3.

## COURT AND PERSONAL

FROM THE *COURT CIRCULAR*.
*BUCKINGHAM PALACE, Tuesday.*

The King held a Council to-day.

The Right Hon. Neville Chamberlain, M.P. (Prime Minister and First Lord of the Treasury), had an audience of His Majesty this evening.

The King and Queen, attended by the Viscountess Halifax, Sir Alan Lascelles and Commander Harold Campbell, R.N., left London this evening for Lancashire.

The Duke of Connaught celebrates his ninetieth birthday to-day.

The Marchioness of Londonderry and Lady Mairi Stewart have left MountStewart, Co. Down, for London.

Prince Nicholas of Rumania has left London for Paris.

The Countess of Fingall has returned to Killeen Castle from England.

Lady Glentoran and her daughter, the Hon. Patsy Dixon, have arrived in Dublin from the North of Ireland.

Brigadier-General Sir George Craufurd gave away his niece, Miss Isolda Rosamund Parker, at her marriage in London last week to Viscount Hanworth.

Lady Daresbury has arrived in Ireland.

Mrs. Hope Johnstone has arrived from Scotland.

The marriage arranged between Eric Edward Charles, elder son of Edward G. and Mrs. Reeves, Ashdene, Kimmage road, West, and Helen Isabel, eldest daughter of Arthur D. and Mrs. Brewster, Craiglea, Temple Gardens, Dublin, will take place at St. Philip's Church, Milltown, on Tuesday, 4th June, at 11.30 a.m.

The engagement is announced between Laurence M. MacNulty, 1 Ailesbury Park, Ballsbridge, eldest son of Mrs. MacNulty, 3 Montpelier Parade, Monkstown, Co. Dublin, and the late Michael J. MacNulty, and Blanche Ita, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John McGrath, Nurney House, Bagnalstown, Co. Carlow.

The engagement is announced between Christopher Alfred Herbert, I.C.S., Meerut, India, eldest son of the late Mr. A. A. Herbert and Mrs. Herbert, Hilary, Blackrock road, Cork, and Evelyn Scott Ross, only child of the late Mr. William Ross and the late Mrs. Ross, of Kendal.


Switzers have just received a delivery of very smart Angora Jumpers in Swiss style, with short sleeves, and buttoning down front. They can be had in lovely self and two-tone colours.

Flexees Figure Foundations: the expert Fitter from London will be at Switzers only until Friday next.

At Barnardo's. Now is the time to have your Furs Repaired or Remodelled to the new styles. All work executed by Expert Fur Workers, under personal supervision, on our own premises, at very moderate prices. Estimates free.—Barnardo's, 108 Grafton street, Dublin.

Brown Thomas' Hairdressing and Beauty Salons are equipped with several of the very latest Permanent Waving methods. Make an appointment now.—Grafton street, Dublin. Telephone: 72822.

It is interesting to note that at numerous recent fashionable weddings the cake has been supplied by Bolands. The tasteful designs have earned as many compliments as the high quality. 'Phone 61961.

Culture physique du visage (Scientific beauty culture) by Miss Kay Lynch, diplomed pupil of Dr. N. G. Payot, Paris. At Dublin's most up-to-date salon, "Rainbows," 24 Sth. Anne st.

Miss Mona Grey (late of London), Broadcasting Artiste, is now in residence at 21 Herbert place, Dublin ('phone 62206), and has vacancies for private pupils in Elocution, Stage Deportment and Gesture.

Leaders of Fashion in all Spectacle wear.—Dixon and Hempenstall, Grafton street.

Hats—Clearing lines and oddments for disposal at greatly reduced prices.—J. Morgan, Hatter, 19 Duke street, Dublin.

Smart Swing Coat in ox blood camel for 6 gns. at Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton street.


PASSENGERS BY B. AND I. LINE, VIA LIVERPOOL.

Among the departures were:—Lord French, Mr. A. F. Yapp, Mr. C. Harvey, Mr. W. G. Warner, Mr. Hodgens, Master P. Guinness, Mr. R. H. Hunter, Miss S. Parker, Dr. Walsh, Mr. Parker, Miss O'Sullivan, Miss Burns, Mr. Owens, Mrs. Dwyer, Miss McGuinness, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. French, Miss M. Millar, Master Millar, the Rev. Fr. Bermingham, the Rev. Fr. McKenna, the Rev. Fr. O'Dwyer, Mr. J. A. Caird, Mr. O. J. Wynne, Mr. H. E. Seaston, Mr. Lawrence, Miss Van Esbeck, Mrs. E. Dunne, Mrs. V. E. Johnson, Miss Johnson, Miss Steward, Miss R. A. Nally, Mr. Gleeson.

DUBLIN-LIVERPOOL AIR SERVICE.

Among the arrivals were:—Mrs. Hughes, the Countess of Fingall, Mr. Clark, Mr. Devlin, Dr. and Mrs. H. Elliman.

Among the departures were:—Mr. Malone, Mr. Sayers, Mrs. J. Sayers, Mr. Gillis, Mr. Trench, the Rev. Fr. Tett, Mr. Bloomfield, Mr. Hassord, Miss Hesketh.


A charming collection of early Summer Shoe Styles have just arrived at Stephens and Bourke, Ltd., 26 Stephen's Green and branches.

Boys' First Communion Suits. We are showing a very big selection at keen prices.—"Our Boys," 24 Wicklow street.

Smart Hats for Races and Spring Show. Moderate prices.—M. Cathcart, 26 Dawson st.

To LADIES.—Medical Appliances, Belts, etc.; Artificial Silk Elastic Stockings which defy detection, or Lastex and Lastestar Stockings which need no covering hose and wash well. Lady attendants.—Fannin and Co. Ltd., 41 Grafton street.

Davis and Co.—Choice Collection of Models now in stock. First-class goods at strictly moderate prices.—46 Grafton street.

Sharpley's Specialists, Baby Linen, Nursery, Accouchement Sets. Price List.—2 Nassau st., Dublin.


## 25 YEARS AGO

From the *Irish Times*, May 1, 1915.

**The Dardanelles.**

An official statement on the progress of the Dardanelles operations shows that the Army, covered by the Fleet's guns, have landed on six different beaches, despite vigorous opposition, and the result of the first day's operations was the establishment of strong Allied forces at three main points.

The British have stormed and taken Seddel Bahr, and, with the end of the peninsula thus secured, the disembarkation is proceeding.

**Ireland and the War.**

A deputation, which included the Lord Mayor of Dublin, Mr. T. P. O'Connor, and a number of Nationalist members and other Irishmen, waited on President Poincaré in Paris yesterday, and presented him with an address expressing sympathy with France and the desire of Ireland for the success of the Allies in the present struggle. The President, in his reply, assured the deputation that their visit would serve still further to unite the two countries.

On the same occasion Mr. Joseph Devlin, M.P., on behalf of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, presented a similar address to Cardinal Amette, Archbishop of Paris.

## LONDON LETTER

### NO STATEMENT O[N] NORWAY

59 FLEET STREET, LOND[ON]
TUESDAY NIGHT.

IN view of the reports from Nor[way] there was some expectation in [the] House of Commons this afternoon that [Mr.] Chamberlain might tell members so[me]thing of the state of affairs, if suc[h a] course was possible. Evidently, howe[ver,] it was not possible. In reply to a q[ues]tion, Mr. Chamberlain said that it w[ould] not be in the public interest to mak[e a] statement at the moment, but that a s[tate]ment would be made in the course of [the] week. The Secretary for War (Mr. O[liver] Stanley) said later that British tr[oops] went to Norway in possession of [the] approved-scale war equipment, and [that] the equipment of a modern batta[lion] included a very large number of Bren g[uns.] A small party of news correspondents [and] newsreel men was ready to go to Nor[way] at short notice, and more would fol[low.] Facilities for publicity would be give[n as] soon as circumstances permitted.

**Threat to Irish Textiles**

Irish textile interests may be [ad]versely affected by the increa[sed] interest shown by Soviet Russia in [the] Balkans, since Yugoslav experts are [to] discuss in Moscow the purchase of Rus[sian] cotton. Only two months ago a Bulga[rian] delegation went to Moscow on a sim[ilar] mission. If Bulgarian hopes are fulfil[led,] Russian cotton, worked in Bulga[rian] mills, will provide employment for 40[...] hands. The Bulgarians will return [...] half of the finished product to Ru[ssia,] retaining the other half in payment [for] their work. Countries like those of [the] Balkans, which lack capital, find [...] Russian offers very tempting. Establi[shed] British interests will feel the competit[ion.] The cotton supplied by the Russ[ians] cannot compare in quality with that of Western countries, but in the case of Balkan peasant quality comes after che[ap]ness.

**Anglo-Italian Relations**

In diplomatic circles here there has b[een] a good deal of talk regarding the re[cent] interview between Lord Halifax and [the] Italian Ambassador (Signor Bastiani[ni).] It is known that Lord Halifax took [the] formal initiative, by virtue of his o[ffice,] in asking the Ambassador to call u[pon] him; but, as usual, took steps beforeh[and] to find out whether the invitation wo[uld] be acceptable. It was the first time [for] some weeks that Lord Halifax and [the] Ambassador had met. The conversat[ion,] it is understood, was perfectly frank a[nd,] from the Italian point of view, q[uite] helpful. It is stated that, while It[aly] remains a friend of Germany, she is de[ter]mined to maintain her own interests [first] of all, and these do not lie in war if t[hey] can be served by peaceful means. It [is] on these lines that the discussion t[ook] place. If progress should be made w[ith] the promotion of a British trade miss[ion] to Rome, the diplomatic world would [feel] that the outlook is becoming more fav[our]able.

**Railway Fares**

Captain Euan Wallace (British Mini[ster] of Transport) has refused to receive [a] deputation regarding the 10 *per ce[nt.]* increase in rail and underground fa[res] which is to come into operation to-morr[ow.] He states in a letter that there can be [no] question of altering the terms of [the] financial arrangement with the four am[al]gamated railway companies and Lon[don] Transport. The Passengers' Alliance [...] intends to communicate with all the lo[cal] authorities in the London area, includ[ing] such bodies as ratepayers' associations [and] Chambers of Commerce, asking them [to] combine in the summoning of an [...] London conference on the matter. It [is] unlikely, however, that anything [will] result from this action, since by the t[ime] a conference can be arranged the fares [will] have been in operation for some time.

**New Rationing Books**

The new British ration books will c[ome] into use in July, and people who de[sire] to change their tradespeople will be a[ble] to do so without trouble, inasmuch as [the] registrations will be cancelled au[to]matically. The issue of the books will [be] made about the middle of June, and th[ey] will be distributed through the post. T[hey] are very like the books in use, and [they] give no indication of any contempla[ted] change in the rationing system. Taken [all] round, the system has worked with ext[ra]ordinary smoothness, and it is seldom th[at] there is friction between the customer [and] the tradesman. That there are some ab[uses] is recognised, but they are comparativ[ely] few in proportion to the thousands [of] people who are rationed.

**The Duke of Connaught**

Queen Victoria's last surviving son, [the] Duke of Connaught, will be ninety ye[ars] of age to-morrow. Only yesterday he [in]spected the Canadian Regiment of wh[ich] he is Colonel-in-Chief. He has been [a] soldier for seventy years, having be[en] appointed to the Rifle Brigade when [he] was nineteen. There will be no form[al] celebration of the birthday apart from [the] flying of flags in the London area. T[he] Duke will spend the day quietly with [his] daughter, Lady Patricia Ramsay, at [her] home, Bagshot Park. The Duke's h[eir,] Lord Mar, is in the army, and his son[-in-]law, Vice-Admiral Sir Alexander Ram[say,] is with the fleet. It is not unlikely th[at,] circumstances permitting, the King [and] Queen may pay the Duke a visit dur[ing] the day.

**Food for Munitions**

There are some five hundred resident[ial] squares in London, the grounds in most [of] them being enclosed with iron raili[ngs] weighing altogether many thousands [of] tons. The iron and steel control [is] taking stock of all this useless metal, a[nd] while it is not intended to make a cl[ean] sweep of the railings, it is probable th[at] many of them will be utilised for ma[nu]facture of munitions. Forty of the squ[ares] cannot be touched, since they belong [to] private individuals. In some places a[nd] the railings are works of art, and he[nce] will be preserved. In addition to [the] squares, the public parks are enclosed w[ith] many railings, and some of these are [to] be removed. A beginning already [has] been made with Battersea Park.

THE SUN.

| | To-day. | To-morr[ow.] |
|---|---|---|
| Rises ........................ | 5.52 | 5.50 |
| Sets .......................... | 8.54 | 8.55 |
| Lighting-up Time .... | 9.54 | 9.56 |

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN.

| | To-day. | To-morr[ow.] |
|---|---|---|
| Morning .................. | 7.55 | 8.53 |
| Evening .................. | 8.30 | 9.24 |

HIGH WATER AT OTHER PORTS.

| | Morning. | Even[ing.] |
|---|---|---|
| Ballina ................ | 2. 7 | 2.50 |
| Belfast ................ | 7.15 | 7.57 |
| Cork .................... | 1.27 | 2. 4 |
| Cobh ................... | 1.24 | 2. 2 |
| Drogheda ............ | 7.43 | 8.18 |
| Dundalk .............. | 7.40 | 8.15 |
| Galway ............... | 1.18 | 2 0 |
| Kinsale ............... | 1.13 | 1.50 |
| Limerick ............. | 2.48 | 3.38 |
| Sligo ................... | 1.13 | 1.50 |
| Waterford ........... | 1.47 | 2.32 |
| Westport ............ | 1.47 | 2.30 |

The Old-Age and Widows' Pensions [Act] (Northern Ireland), 1940, has now bec[ome] law. Part I. will come into operation [on] July 1 next, when the pensionable age [for] certain classes of women is lowered fro[m 65] to 60.

# GERMANS CLAIM CAPTURE OF DOMBAAS

## OSLO—TRONDHEIM FORCES JOINED

### Allied Reinforcements Rushed Up

### HITLER DECORATES HIS COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF

THE war in Norway last night entered a critical phase, with the German High Command's claim that the vital rail junction of Dombaas has fallen into their hands, and that their northward marching troops have completed the connection between Oslo and Trondheim.

While this claim has not, so far, been confirmed by independent despatches, it was known in Stockholm that the German forces had made contact with the Allies along the line running from Dombaas to the next important junction at Storen, also reported to have been taken.

*ALLIED REINFORCEMENTS*

Allied reinforcements, brought up from two new landing points on the West coast, were last night being rushed into the battle zone.

Berlin asserts that German reinforcements are "continually arriving" at Oslo, and in an order of the day, Herr Hitler conferred on General von Falkenhorst, his Commander-in-Chief in Norway, the Knight's Insignia of the Iron Cross, in recognition of "an indomitable advance," which had established connection between Oslo and Trondheim.

### KEY RAILWAY JUNCTION CAPTURED

After repelling, with heavy losses, strong German attacks, supported by tanks and low-flying 'planes, Allied troops in the Gudbrans Valley last Sunday withdrew to a position covering Dombaas, states a Press Association War Special telegram.

Three Nazi tanks were destroyed.

Dombaas, states the Press Association Military Correspondent, is a key rail junction, towards which the Germans have been pushing in their northward drive up the valley to Trondhejm.

The situation there, according to reports reaching London, is difficult.

The War Office communiqué last night referred only to events which took place on Sunday, when the position in the other two battle areas, Namsos and Narvik, was unchanged.

#### AIR ATTACKS

The *communiqué* states:—"In Sunday's fighting in the Gudbrans Valley the enemy attacked strongly, with the support of tanks and low-flying aircraft. All attacks were repulsed with heavy losses, including the destruction of three medium tanks.

"During the night our troops made a short withdrawal to a position covering Dombaas.

"Air attacks on Aandalsnes and Molde continued during the day.

"In the Namsos and Narvik areas the situation remains unchanged."

The Press Association learns that the reference to "during the night" applies to Sunday night.

#### BRITISH SUBMARINES LOST

Two British submarines—Tarpon and Perlet—are overdue and presumed lost.

### POLISH AND CZECH LEGIONARIES

Polish and Czech legionaries are reported to be among fresh Allied troops landed at Nomsos.

In the Narvik region, says "Aftonbladet's" Correspondent at Riksgransen, the Germans are understood to have given up their positions on the heights around the town, and are entrenched on the shore with machine-guns.

British warships have silenced all the heavier guns the Germans possessed, including a battery in the town cemetery.

The Admiralty announced yesterday. In addition, the trawlers Bradman and Cape Siretoko have been sunk by bombs, but no loss of life is reported.

The two submarines would have a normal complement totalling together 93. Seven of the 57 submarines with which the British began the war have now been lost.

#### GERMAN CLAIM

The Official German News Agency stated last night:—"News has just reached Berlin from Norway that German detachments advancing north from Otta (in the Gudbrans Valley) along the railway line leading to Aandalsnes have taken Dombaas."

#### DOMBAAS

A critical stage has been reached in the Allies' struggle in Norway, writes the Press Association Military Correspondent, for the German High Command claim to have taken Dombaas and the Swedish report that Storen has fallen prove to be true. It would mean that the Germans hold the only two railway lines running north from Oslo, and that they have effected a junction with their troops in the Trondheim area, which the Allies were trying to isolate and capture.

Even more important, it would mean that the western part of Norway, in which the Allies have been landing, is isolated by German lines running north-south from Oslo to Trondheim and threatened by a west coast northward movement from Bergen.

Dombaas, in the heart of mountainous country, with snow-capped peaks towering all around to the heights of from 6,000 to nearly 8,000 feet, stands at the point where the branch line to Aandalsnes (the Allied landing place) joins the main Oslo-Trondheim line. From here Trondheim lies 132 miles to the north, and Oslo 213 miles to the south.

#### THE RAILWAYS

A hundred miles up the line to Trondheim is Stoeren, another important junction town. Here the two lines from Oslo (one up the Gudbrands Valley, and the other up the Oester Valley) meet and then run as one, the remaining thirty miles to Trondheim. Railways are of highly strategic value in mountainous country. Thus both Dombaas and Stoeren were vital points in the operations of the Allies.

Dombaas was the main objective of the German forces pushing up the Gudbrands Valley, and Stoeren was the objective of the units operating in the parallel Oester Valley.

### THE BRITISH HITTING BACK

#### FRESH LANDINGS

**The War Office announced at midnight last night:—**

**1—In the Dombaas area the British, fighting with indomitable courage, have resisted any further advances by the enemy.**

**2—North of Stenkier the British troops again proved their superiority in patrol work, inflicting heavy casualties on the enemy.**

**3—Fresh landings have taken place along the coast of Norway.**

### OSLO-TRONDHEIM RAILWAY

#### GERMAN PRESSURE REPORTED

The German High Command claimed last night that the main railway line linking Oslo and Trondheim was in German hands. Troops advancing up the Gudbrands Valley, it was stated, had reached the railway junction of Dombaas, and other forces had captured the town of Opdal, to the north-east. Earlier the High Command had reported that German forces from Oslo and Trondheim had made contact nearer Trondheim on the railway south-west of Stoeren.

The latest High Command announcement reads:

"Pressing sharply on the retreating enemy, German troops, advancing in the Gudbrands Valley, reached the important railway and road junction of Dombaas at noon yesterday.

"Opdal has been occupied by troops advancing along the Trondheim-Dombaas railway from Iborden.

"As a result the main Oslo-Trondheim railway connection is in German hands."

### MIDNIGHT RAID ON OSLO'S AIRPORT

#### DAMAGE TO "'DROME AND 'PLANES"

For over an hour, shortly after midnight on Monday, R.A.F. 'planes heavily bombed Hornebu, Oslo's principal airport. Details of the raid (the fourth on this aerodrome) were made known in London last night.

The attack was carried out by the Bomber Command, and was in the form of a series of raids.

Attacking singly and in succession, British aircraft dropped a large number of high explosive bombs, and bursts were seen spreading in a line across the landing ground from north-west to south-east. In the absence of a moon parachute flares were dropped to assist observation.

Strong opposition from gun batteries and searchlights increased in intensity as

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## *BRITISH REPLY TO ITALIAN HOSTILITY*

### *SHIPPING DIVERTED FROM MEDITERRANEAN*

BRITISH merchant shipping is being diverted from the Mediterranean to travel via the Cape, instead of via Gibraltar and the Suez Canal, because of the anti-British character of the Italian Press and other propaganda.

This step by the British Government has been taken on the eve of a Cabinet meeting, over which Signor Mussolini will preside, and which is expected to discuss diplomatic and economic negotiations between Russia and Britain, Russia and Yugoslavia, and Britain and Italy.

Britain does not intend, however, to continue these precautions any longer than is necessary, and hopes that circumstances will permit their cancellation in the near future.

The Italian Press continues hostile. One paper set the theme yesterday: "Italy will fight for the freedom of the Mediterranean."

French diplomats expect a new German move in the Balkans regarding international police control of the Danube, and another disquieting aspect of the situation in this part of Europe was a speech by Count Csksy, Hungarian Foreign Minister, warning Slovakia that ill-treatment of Hungarian minorities would be met with reprisals, because Hungary was sure of German friendship, and did not fear the threat that Germany would protect Slovakia.

#### "ITALY HOLDS THE SCALES"

PRESS ASSOCIATION FOREIGN SPECIAL.

*ROME, Tuesday.*

Signor Mussolini will preside over a Cabinet meeting to-morrow morning. Political circles believe the meeting will deal at length with the negotiations, diplomatic and economic, now in progress between Britain and Soviet Russia and between Yugoslavia and Russia, and the tentative trade talks between Britain and Italy.

The Italian Press devotes much space to quotations from the newspapers of London and Paris regarding the attitude of Italy in the present conflict, the correspondents being at pains to suggest that both capitals realise Italy holds the scales.

As regards Italy's attitude, the *Giornale d'Italia*, the only paper to print the friendly references by Mr. Menzies, the Australian Prime Minister, declares in a long footnote that "Italy is not neutral—that she has her interests to defend, and does not consider herself outside this conflict of nations. Italy is prepared to fight by all means in her power for her liberty and the freedom of the Mediterranean."

The presentation of news by the *Osservatore Romano*, the Vatican organ, is attacked in Signor Farinacci's paper, the *Régime Fascista*, which wonders whether "the time has not come to suppress this paper, the servant of the enemies of Italy and the obvious spokesman of the Jews."

#### GERMAN ATTITUDE

PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL.

*AMSTERDAM, Tuesday.*

News of Britain's precautions in the Mediterranean to-night reached Berlin, where it evoked intense interest.

Some German military experts have on recent occasions expressed doubts as to whether the strategic position of Germany would be improved if hostilities were opened on the Italian front.

Diplomatic circles in Holland were to-night not of the opinion that Italy would become involved in war for the present.

#### HOSTILE TO FRANCE

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

*PARIS, Tuesday.*

"From statements published in the *Popolo d'Italia*, it follows that the Italian Government is completely opposed to any idea of Franco-Italian conversations," says the Rome Correspondent of the *Temps*, commenting on the attitude adopted towards France by the Italian Press. "This attitude is all the more striking," the correspondent continues, "since up till now the usual reproach made against France has been that she did not wish to enter into negotiations regarding Italy's natural aspirations. The other day Signor Pavolini, Italian Minister of Popular Culture, clearly stated that if Italy's interests could be satisfied by peaceful procedure—that is, by negotiation—Italy would be satisfied and have no reason to take up arms. To-day, on the contrary, at the moment when France declares officially she is ready to discuss matters, the *Popolo d'Italia* takes up an outraged attitude. What, then, is the procedure that Italy envisages?"

The *Popolo d'Italia* is the Mussolini family journal.

#### "ITALY NOT NEUTRAL"

ASSOCIATED PRESS.

*ROME, Tuesday.*

The authoritative newspaper, *Giornale d'Italia*, to-day condemned sharply the speech of the Australian Prime Minister when he inaugurated an Italian language broadcast from Sydney, saying that it was "based on erroneous premises and reached erroneous conclusions" in referring to Italy as a neutral. The newspaper stated: "Italy is not neutral. Allied with Germany, it has its own interests to defend."

The *Giornale d'Italia* asked the Prime Minister to reconcile his assertion that Australia was fighting for liberty and independence with the fact that it was fighting "at the side of a Power whose rule it recognises." As for Mr. Menzies's appeal to Italian sentiments of liberty, the newspaper said: "Italy is determined to fight in every way for liberty—liberty in the Mediterranean."

#### YUGOSLAV ALARM

ASSOCIATED PRESS.

*ZAGREB, Tuesday.*

Reports of intensive Italian military activity near the Yugoslav frontier to-night alarmed the Croatian regions of Slovenia and Dalmatian coastal districts. The Prime Minister (M. Cvetkovic), arriving in Zagreb from Dalmatia, issued a reassuring statement, however, asserting that the country's internal situation was good and expressing confidence that Yugoslavia could preserve her neutrality.

The authorities to-day expelled several hundred more German tourists, and in Slovania, where there is an important German minority, many persons were arrested for possessing compromising documents. Large German concentrations were reported in the Klagenfurt area, near the frontier.

#### HUNGARY AND SLOVAKIA

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

*BUDAPEST, Tuesday.*

The Hungarian Government had endeavoured to pursue a policy of conciliation towards the young Slovak Republic, said Count Csaky (Hungarian Foreign Minister), speaking in the Upper House of Parliament to-day, but the friendly hand held out had not been welcomed as it should be. This had caused bitter disappointment in Hungary.

## PUNCHESTOWN: AN IMPRESSION

### Fashion, Sport and Weather

### A FALLING-OFF IN ATTENDANCE

BY A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

PUNCHESTOWN shows no sign of degenerating into a mere race meeting. The scene in the enclosure before the start of yesterday's racing would have brought confidence and inspiration into the heart and mind of a Minister for Finance, who had the compiling of a Budget before him. Pictures from Vogue jostled one another, and even the men wore pages from the book of tailors' styles rather than the clothes that ordinary people buy. The noble animal—the horse—was to appear upon the scene at a later stage; in the meantime the human being was exhibiting the art of the costumier, the coiffeur and cosmetiquer, the tailor, the hatter and the bootmaker.

But before Baldonnell had come home at twenty to one in the first race, to the great satisfaction of the gentlemen with the big umbrellas, all the finery that distinguishes Punchestown from a picture-house queue had been covered up with mackintoshes and raincoats, not, let it be said, with any resultant sombreness; for modern ladies' mackintoshes are varied in their shapes and colours. Even the "gamp" of to-day can be a thing of beauty.

The going became softer, and the horses almost faded from sight in the mist at the farther boundary of the course. Trouser-ends became muddy and feminine feet trod delicately. Jockeys looked splashed and weather-beaten at their journey's end. But the "tick-tack" men were undismayed. They punched their soft hats into the shapes of bowlers, tied additional handkerchiefs around their necks, and continued to send the good news and the bad to those who were accepting the shillings of the *hoi polloi* at the other side of the course.

Nothing could stop the peregrinations of the *haute monde*. From the shelter of the stands they rushed at the end of each race to see the winner unsaddled, to collect their winnings from the totalisator, to watch the preparations for the next event, or to regale themselves with tea and coffee in the refreshment rooms of the various fashionable clubs.

#### EFFECTS OF WAR AND WEATHER

The war had kept away many English people who usually come to Punchestown. The sky had acted as a deterrent to many Dublin people who might otherwise have travelled. As a result, the attendance was one of the smallest seen for some years at Punchestown. That does not mean that it was a small crowd. But it was not up to the Punchestown standard in size. The fact that the attendance would not be as great as usual was obvious on the way down. There were no traffic jams, no places where one became a link in a slowly-moving chain. Part of the credit may have been due to the excellent police arrangements, but part also was due to the thinner traffic.

The racing itself was excellent. The most indifferent onlooker could not but be stirred by the sight of last-minute challenges that put the results in doubt till the final fence was crossed. Past the grand stand the pace may not have seemed great, but out in the country the horses appeared to take on the grace and the speed of birds. They wafted from fence to fence and across stretches of country. There were exclamations of delight at every piece of smart jumping, and sighs of regret when horses fell.

At the end of the day the *hoi polloi* and the *haute monde* nearly came into contact as they swarmed to their waiting cars and 'buses, race-cards still clutched as mementoes of the day's sport, and tongues wagging with the tales of what was or what might have been. Of course, you never can tell at a steeplechase meeting.

### DUBLIN MILK PRICES

The Minister for Supplies has made an Order authorising from to-day an increase over the prices current on the same date in the year 1939 of ½d. per pint in the price of milk to consumers in the City and County of Dublin and the Urban District of Bray. This increase is due to additional costs borne by the distributors of 1½d. per gallon to milk producers, and nearly ½d. per gallon in respect of a levy to the Dublin District Milk Board.

## TRADE TALKS IN LONDON

### Object of Irish Ministers' Visit

### STATEMENT BY MR. S. LEMASS

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

*LONDON, Tuesday.*

AFTER Mr. Anthony Eden (Dominions Secretary) had welcomed Dr. James Ryan (Irish Minister for Agriculture) and Mr. Sean Lemass (Minister for Supplies) in his room at the Dominions Office this afternoon, the Irish Ministers and their officials completed a schedule for direct contacts, beginning to-morrow, with the British Ministries of Food, Shipping and Agriculture and the Board of Trade.

Sir John Maffey (British representative in Eire) and Mr. John Dulanty (Irish High Commissioner) were also present at the meeting at the Dominions Office, which began at 4.20 and ended at 5.40 p.m.

An official statement issued afterwards said that "a general discussion took place on the trade relations between the two countries," and that "it was agreed that further discussions will take place during the next few days."

In the course of a statement made to-night, Mr. Lemass said—The Irish Government proposed the present negotiations to the British Government for the purpose of discussing difficulties which have emerged from time to time in the course of the various discussions which took place on a number of occasions since the outbreak of the war between officials of the two Governments.

The arrangements for the negotiations were begun a number of weeks ago, but for various reasons they were delayed. We hope that, as a result of the present talks with the Ministers here, some, if not all, of these difficulties will be removed.

It is emphasised in Irish circles that the present discussions were arranged before the annexation of Denmark, and would have taken place in any case.

To put the case in a nutshell, the Anglo-Eire trade agreement of 1938 worked very well in time of peace, but has broken down in time of war; for in time of war British Governmental departments have become the purchasers of Eire's produce instead of commercial firms, and because of rationing entirely new problems have arisen. The quantities of food imported are now governed by all sorts of reasons which may have little relation to the excellence of its quality.

The Irish Ministers and officials are out to do their best to secure reasonable prices. One of the greatest bones of contention is the 126s per cwt. paid for butter, a commodity the export of which has been subsidised by the home market for six or eight years.

#### THE LUNCHEON

Before the formal meeting took place Mr. Eden entertained the Irish delegation to luncheon at the Savoy Hotel.

On the English side were: Rear-Admiral Arthur Bromley (Ceremonial Reception Secretary at the Dominions Office), Mr. Leslie Burgin (Minister for Supplies), the Duke of Devonshire (Parliamentary Under-Secretary for the Dominions), Mr. Malcolm Macdonald (Colonial Secretary), Sir John Maffey (British Representative in Eire), Sir Cosmo Parkinson (Permanent Under-Secretary at the Dominions Office), Lord Woolton (Minister for Food), Mr. J. E. Stephenson (of the Colonial Office), Mr. Geoffrey Shakespeare, M.P. (Parliamentary Secretary to the Admiralty); Mr. M. E. Costar, and Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Eric Crankshaw (Secretary of the Government Hospitality Fund).

The Irish guests were: Dr. Ryan, Mr. Lemass, Mr. John Dulanty, Mr. J. J. McElligott (Secretary of the Department of Finance), Mr. J. P. Walshe (Secretary of the Department of External Affairs), Mr. D. H. Twomey (Secretary of the Department of Agriculture), Mr. Sean Leydon (Secretary of the Department of Supplies), Mr. J. M. Adams (Director of Agriculture), Dr. Nolan (of the Department of Supplies), and Mr. J. N. D'Arcy (of the High Commissioner's Office).

#### SERIES OF MEETINGS

Immediately after their meeting at the Dominions Office had concluded Dr. Ryan and Mr. Lemass went with Lord Woolton and Mr. Leslie Burgin to their respective departments—the Ministry for Food and the Ministry for Supply—and in discussions which lasted until 7 p.m. addressed themselves to details and to the schedule of meetings during the next few days.

Dr. Ryan and Mr. Lemass will be meeting English Ministers individually during the next few days, and there will be a general meeting of all Ministers towards the end of the discussions.

Both Irish Ministers remained indoors at the Piccadilly Hotel to-night discussing the progress of the talks with Mr. John Dulanty, the Irish High Commissioner.

## FOUR FEARED DEAD

### EXPLOSIVES FACTORY FIRE

Four men are feared to have lost their lives as a result of a fire late on Monday night at an explosives factory in Great Britain.

The fire followed an explosion, and originated in a hut where men were making explosives.

One of the dead is believed to be James McCulloch. One injured man admitted to the infirmary is James Russell (43), stated to be suffering from severe burns.

No official statement has yet been issued.

## *SEVEN DUBLIN MEN DETAINED*

Seven Dublin men have been detained under the Emergency Powers Order in the last two days. Their names are given as William Lucas, Philip Christie, Dermot O'Riordan, Michael Doyle, Thomas Dunne, Stephen Daly and Joseph Brady.

### M. REYNAUD HAS INFLUENZA

*PARIS, Tuesday.*

M. Reynaud, French Prime Minister, has a slight attack of influenza, it was announced to-night. It had been announced that he would broadcast at 7.30 to-morrow evening.—(Reuter.)

## DAIL CRITICISM OF BED BUREAU BILL

### Minister's Promise of Reasonable Concessions

### SECOND READING STAGE PASSED

MOVING the second stage of the Public Hospitals (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill, 1940, in the Dail last night, Mr. P. J. Ruttledge (Minister for Local Government and Public Health) said that the main object of the bill was to provide for the establishment and maintenance of hospital bureaus for the purpose of facilitating the admission to hospitals of persons who required treatment.

The bill, he said, was of general application, but it might be assumed that the establishment of a hospitals' bureau would be confined to Dublin, where the public voluntary hospitals provided general and special treatment.

### THE DUBLIN CONTROL

The provision of a Hospital Bureau for the Dublin centre first arose when the hospitalisation scheme recommended by the Hospitals' Commission was under consideration. That scheme contemplated provision for the treatment of poor persons in four major general hospitals, with an increase of approximately 600 beds. The arrangements for the establishment of a Bureau for that purpose were fully discussed with the representatives of the hospitals. Agreement was reached with regard to the functions and duties of the Bureau and the management thereof. The representatives of the hospitals considered that it would not function in advance of the additional accommodation which would be necessary in the four hospitals for the treatment of poor persons.

It was intended that the Bureau then contemplated would be under the control of a body composed of representatives of the hospitals and of certain local bodies in the city and county of Dublin. As the bed complement of the voluntary hospitals would not permit of hospital treatment for the large number of poor persons who received hospital treatment in St. Kevin's Hospital, which was under the control of the Dublin Board of Assistance, it was not considered expedient at present to establish a Bureau controlled by representatives of the voluntary hospitals and local authorities.

#### FORM OF THE BUREAU

Proceeding, Mr. Ruttledge said that it was generally agreed that difficulties were encountered by the medical profession in Dublin in getting hospital treatment for some emergency or acute cases. A Hospital Bureau would serve a very useful purpose if it helped to facilitate the admission of such cases. Its activities should operate to the mutual advantage of the voluntary hospitals, the medical profession and people requiring hospital treatment.

A good deal of consideration had been given to the form the Hospital Bureau should take. It might have been desirable to locate it in one of the large voluntary hospitals, but there was scarcely sufficient co-operation on matters affecting hospital management amongst the hospitals in Dublin to warrant such a course. The course suggested in the bill was decided on as being the most likely to afford the facilities in connection with admission to hospitals that are so necessary at present, and, at the same time, involve little additional annual expenditure.

#### FREE PATIENTS

A considerable proportion of the patients in the Dublin general hospitals for years past had received free treatment. The bill did not propose to interfere in any way with the manner of admission of free patients to these hospitals. It was evident, however, that there were many persons who were in urgent need of treatment in a hospital who could not secure admission under the present conditions, and had to rely on medical care given under unsuitable conditions in the home, and it was hoped that in such cases the Hospital Bureau would be an advantage. He did not propose at that stage to enter into the detailed workings of the Hospital Bureau, the present arrangements being in the nature of an experiment, and its success would depend largely on the co-operation afforded by the representatives of the voluntary hospitals.

Regulations governing the administration of the Bureau would be made after consultation with the Advisory Committee. Hospital Bureaux were in operation in a few large centres of population in other countries where the voluntary hospitals provided the main hospital service for the public, and had proved to be advantageous for the hospitals, patients and the medical profession.

#### ADMISSIONS

Section 4 of the bill provided for the investigation of complaints arising out of the refusal to admit persons on whose behalf arrangements for hospital treatment had been made by the Hospitals' Bureau, or on the ground that treatment was unreasonably delayed. It was not expected that such complaints would often arise, but the powers conferred were regarded as essential in the public interest, and would, moreover, prove to be a useful protection for the voluntary hospitals.

Such a measure of general supervision was not intended to interfere with the ordinary rights of the hospitals to control their internal management.

A matter of importance was that concerned with the extension of the exercise of powers of inspection of hospitals, and the furnishing of information bearing on their financial position. In that respect the Public Hospitals Act, 1933, gave certain powers to the Hospitals' Commission, but during the consideration of that bill it was never contemplated that there would be made such heavy demands on the Hospitals' Trust Fund as had been made by voluntary hospitals to meet expenditure in excess of income in the past couple of years.

#### HOSPITALS' DEFICITS

As the extent of the hospitals' deficits still continued to show an upward trend, the present position must be regarded as serious. There should, therefore, be close co-operation between the voluntary hospitals and the Hospitals' Commission in matters affecting internal economy.

It was also proposed to amend the section of the 1933 Act governing the application of the proportion of the proceeds of the sale of tickets in the sweepstake towards meeting expenses of promoting the sweepstakes. It must be presumed in present conditions, said the Minister, that future sweepstakes would not receive support outside the country to the extent that prevailed in the past. In that event a specified proportion of the proceeds which would be payable to the promoter would be difficult to determine. It had accordingly been decided to remove the limit of seven per centum in the 1933 Act and to rely upon the maximum percentage of thirty per centum of the proceeds of the sale of tickets, which could be made applicable to meeting expenses other than tickets, commissions, prizes, and other remuneration given in relation of the sale of tickets.

#### CONTRACTING OUT

Mr. Ruttledge said that he did not think it was necessary to make any case for the setting up of the Hospital Bureau, for that necessity had been admitted on all sides. The Hospitals' Commission from time to time had stressed the necessity for such a Bureau, and recently references had been made by a coroner that, if a Bed Bureau had been in existence, certain things would not have happened. It was intended as a temporary arrangement. He admitted that the bill in its provisions was rather wide, but they could cut it down to more narrow limits on Committee. It had been brought to his notice that the retrospective provision in the bill did not give the hospitals an opportunity, so to speak, of contracting ou.

That might be a fair position. He was quite prepared to concede that. So far as the retrospective provisions in the bill were concerned, they could be changed in the committee stage to give the hospitals an opportunity of saying whether or not they would come into the bureau system. Reference had been made to the regulations that might be made by the Minister in the bill. He did not know that it would be possible to set out in the bill on the committee stage anything like the exact regulations that were in mind, but it might be possible, perhaps, to give some general indication as to the lines the regulations should follow. These regulations would be made after consultation with the Advisory Council.

#### HOSPITAL REPRESENTATIVES

If it was believed that the section dealing with the imposition of powers was taking on some sort of dictation they could get some other words to deal with that. Under Section 3 it was not intended that the Minister shall appoint, without consulting anybody, representatives of the hospital. What was intended was that the representative of the general and staff hospitals in the city should be appointed by their own organisation and their own hospitals and then approved by the Minister. If there was any doubt about that on the committee stage he was prepared to make it perfectly clear that the hospitals themselves shall appoint their own representatives and submit them for approval. It had been construed in some way that there was an attempt made to interfere with the ordinary organisation of the hospitals, and that the Minister appointed someone over the heads of the authorities themselves. That was not the intention.

Dealing with the section regarding complaints, the Minister said that it could be made clear on the Committee stage that a complaint so made to the Minister would be referred to the Hospital Commission in charge of the bureau. The Hospital Commission would consult the Advisory Committee, and in the ordinary way it would be dealt with by them. If it was a case of very grave seriousness the Commission would be in the position that they would refer it to the Minister to hold the inquiry contemplated. That again could be changed. If the complaints came through the Minister he would refer them to the Hospital Commission. That Commission would have to consult with the Advisory Committee, and when they were satisfied that it was of a serious character it could be referred to the Minister. That would, he thought, be a case that would be very rare, indeed.

#### NO DICTATION INTENDED

It was asked that why was not the arrangement come to by consultation with the hospitals. His predecessor, after two years, had succeeded in getting some system of a bureau arranged with four hospitals. If he (Minister) set out to get an arrangement with the twenty-seven institutions in the country, how many years would it take him? Certain agreements had from time to time to be brought about between hospitals and the Department, and he assumed that those hospitals were standing on their rights, or what they conceived to be their rights. He knew that he had been striving to secure agreement with one hospital since he took over his present Department, and he had not been able to secure that agreement. He was as far away from it now as ever.

It might be said that the moneys for

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# HOSPITALS' BILL CRITICISM

the hospitals were not the taxpayers' moneys, but under the 1933 Act certain duties had been imposed on the Minister, and in order to carry those duties out effectively and, if necessary, to protect the interests of the poor the Minister had to think of those duties. He was not setting out there to dictate to any hospital. The hospitals had done, and were doing, most admirable work, and the desire was to interfere as little as possible between the hospitals and the Department. Whatever powers were taken in the bill were powers forced on him as a duty. He thought that the hospitals had nothing to fear from it. He had seen a lot of letters in the Press which suggested that the writers had in mind much wider powers than were in the bill. He believed that, when the bill became law and when the organisation was set up, it would be more a protection for the hospitals against frivolous complaints and charges than anything else. There was no desire in any way to interfere with the hospitals more than was considered absolutely necessary.

## THE VACANT BEDS

### CO-OPERATION NEEDED

Mr. W. COSGRAVE (F.G., Cork City) said that there was a clause in the bill which would bring in a hospital getting a subscription from a local authority. He had no authority to speak on behalf of that hospital, but he understood that there was a hospital that did not participate in the Sweepstakes, and did not intend to participate in them yet. Did that hospital come within the scope of the bill? Surely if ever there was a case in which the active and cordial co-operation of bodies was required, it was in this case. In Dublin city and county there had been no addition to bed accommodation in a lifetime. The population had doubled, but the situation was still as it had been, and they were seeking now to try to find where the vacant beds were. If the bureau was to be a success, it required the active and cordial co-operation of the hospitals. The Minister wanted to have control to some extent. The view of the Opposition was that it would be better to leave control in the hands of those who had been accustomed to hospital control and management for a long number of years. He suggested to the Minister that he ought to have more confidence in the committee at the start, as much depended on the *bona fides* of everybody in connection with this matter.

Mr. Cosgrave described Section 4 as "objectionable," and said that the bill should not be dealt with in a controversial spirit, but, as drawn, it had met with objection from a large number of people, and had been regarded with suspicion by anybody who had any connection with hospital management. That was unfortunate. It would be a matter of very great satisfaction to all those who had so well served the public of this country that a situation of this kind could be solved by goodwill and in good faith, and that there should not linger in anybody's mind an impression that year after year an effort was being made to bring more and more control to such a big organisation as that. He did not think the bill would give any more satisfactory results than had been obtained hitherto, because if there was one thing everybody objected to it was too much inspection.

He suggested that the Minister should put the major responsibility on the body set up by the management for operating the bureau. He should recast Sections 2 and 3, and alter Section 4 to make it less objectionable. The Minister should reconsider his view with regard to the regulations to be made by this body. If the Minister did these things he would have the cordial co-operation of the hospitals and their staffs.

### ANXIETY ALLAYED

Dr. T. F. O'HIGGINS (U.I., Leix-Offaly) said that if he dealt with the bill as it stood, Parliamentary regulations would soon force him to his seat. Taking the bill as it stood, without the assurances of the Minister, it provided an explanation for the hectic week they had lived through in medical circles. Some of them believed that they were within a few days of seeing the medical and surgical staffs having to walk out of their hospitals. If the words in the bill meant anything they meant a serious attempt by the Minister to take over all the voluntary hospitals under his control and supervision to the same extent, as in the case of the rate-aided hospitals, and to make the surgeons and physicians and other doctors in these hospitals as much subordinates, under the direction and control of the Minister's officers as were salaried medical officers throughout the country. Very many of the objectionable features which had given rise to disquiet and anxiety had been dealt with by the Minister in his opening statement, and, if he put his assurances into print by the Committee stage, he thought the bill, on the whole, would be acceptable.

Dr. O'Higgins said that two things in the bill everyone wanted were the Bed Bureau and the provision for the re-establishment of the Sweepstakes. Assurances by the Minister were quite acceptable as far as the Opposition were concerned, and they appreciated them very much, but the implementation of the bill would be carried out by civil servants, and these people acted on the written word, not on what was intended.

What they all wanted to see as a result of the bill was greater efficiency and increased harmony between the hospital staffs and the Government Department. If the Minister was going to implement the bill through a committee elected by the hospitals the right of the Minister's approval should be waived, because it implied the right of disapproval.

Mr. J. EVERETT (Labour, Wicklow) said that he approved of the Bed Bureau, but there was a clause which provided that a greater percentage could be devoted to the Hospitals Commission, and he felt he would have to protest against it. Directors were receiving fabulous salaries, but the people who did the work got only thirty shillings a week. There should be less money for the directors and more money for the hospitals.

### BILL "AN OUTRAGE"

Professor J. M. O'SULLIVAN (F.G., Kerry) said that the bill as it stood was an outrage. It was one of the most controversial and objectionable bills ever brought before the House. Urgency had been pleaded in support of the 1933 Bill, whose purpose was the spending of the money for the benefit of the hospitals, but he wondered where the extra beds were. Quite unwisely they had allowed in that bill an incursion into the whole principle of the voluntary hospitals. It was the tendency of any bureaucracy to increase the grip on every possible institution, and the Minister should be careful to put his assurances into black and white. He would like to know if the Minister had consulted with any of the people concerned when he was drafting the bill. They had in it the creeping hand of bureaucracy that would increase more and more and paralyse the efforts of voluntary institutions if it could do it. He gathered that Clause 1 was not going to be retrospective in any respect, and, therefore, it should be remodelled.

Mr. McGILLIGAN—The Minister said that a hospital can contract out of this bill.

Mr. RUTTLEDGE—Not to continue taking the grants.

Mr. McGILLIGAN—The fact that they have taken grants already does not matter?

Mr. RUTTLEDGE—That is so.

### THE COMMITTEE

Professor O'SULLIVAN asked if every hospital in Dublin was to have a representative on the Committee, or must a number of hospitals combine to have one representative?

Mr. RUTTLEDGE said that the intention was that every general hospital would have a representative if they wanted one. It was a matter for themselves. It was not the intention that the Minister would nominate any particular member.

Professor O'SULLIVAN—Has the Minister any idea as to how many will be on the Committee?

Mr. RUTTLEDGE—About twenty.

Professor O'SULLIVAN—It is not the intention of the Minister to nominate anyone, and yet he takes power to do so.

Professor O'SULLIVAN said that he had seen a letter from the late Archbishop of Dublin to the Mother Superior of a Nursing Community stating: "It strikes me that the Sisters of Charity should not begin their new hospital until the question of inspection and control is satisfactorily settled." He asked the Minister to try to check the spirit of giving more and more into the hands of Government Departments. If he did that he would be not only doing good work for the hospitals, but for the government of the country.

Mr. R. BRISCOE (F.F., Dublin, S.) said that, because of the extreme urgency and need for extended treatment, he had hoped that there would be in the bill some provision for the establishment of a municipal hospital. The bill by the control of beds tried to bring about something similar, but he did not think that it was going to work out as well as anticipated.

## STATE INTERFERENCE

### MR. McGILLIGAN'S VIEWS

Mr. P. McGILLIGAN (F.G., Dublin, S.E.) said that when in 1938 a scheme had been evolved between the Minister's predecessor and the representatives of the main Dublin hospitals without any State interference there had been no criticism of that scheme, but it was simply locked in the fastnesses of the Department. Now they had in that bill State interference of the most radical type; with the exception of one clause the bill was riddled with State interference. One clause brought in hospitals as a matter of compulsion because they had received certain subventions from the Hospitals' Commission, although when they decided to accept such assistance there had been no conditions attached.

The bill provided that, although the governing bodies were entitled to appoint a representative to the Advisory Committee, the Minister was entitled to step in and say that person was not representative of the governing body; or, at a later stage, if the Minister found that a person so appointed turned out not to be obedient to the Local Government Department he could remove him from the Committee, or even remove the whole Committee. The bill also provided that if complaint was made to the Minister that a person was refused admission to an hospital or that there was unreasonable delay in providing treatment, the Minister could appoint a person to hold an inquiry, and machinery was provided for the compulsory attendance of witnesses on penalty. That provision was putting the managing committees of the hospitals into a position of a recalcitrant member of an unlawful organisation dragged before the court under the Offences Against the State Act. The Minister had said that everybody admitted the necessity for a bed bureau, but the only point he had made in favour of it was that at a recent inquest the Coroner made a remark. State interference was all over the bill. Until he saw the amendments the Minister proposed to bring in on the Committee stage he would withhold his judgment on the bill.

### DESTROYING THE BILL

Dr. J. HANNIGAN (Ind., Dublin, S.) said that the Minister's statement was in conflict with the spirit as well as the principle of the bill. The difficulty all along had been the difficulty in securing beds for non-paying patients or patients who could not pay much, even in hospitals which had received contributions from Sweepstake funds. What improvement had taken place in the hospital system in the last ten years to justify the retention of the present system? By yielding to pressure on certain vital matters the Minister had destroyed the effect of the bill. The resulting Bed Bureau would not be satisfactory.

Mr. J. A. COSTELLO (F.G., Dublin County) said that certain organisations in this country believed that they would bring about a revolution, but to his mind the next revolution would be a bloodless one. It would be a revolution by the ordinary people against bureaucracy, and if this bill had been allowed to stand in its original form that revolution would have come. He also believed that if the bill had been allowed to remain as originally drafted it would have brought about a reaction against the Sweepstakes which would have meant the early closing down of that undertaking. As the Minister had now given way on a number of points, he would suspend judgment.

It was clear that the Minister and the Department had given way to the pressure of public opinion on the question of State control. That pointed the moral that if public opinion was sufficiently militant it would force the Government to give way.

## MINISTER'S REPLY

### RECENT INCREASE IN BEDS

Mr. RUTTLEDGE, replying, said that he had not given any concessions which would in any way take from the effectiveness of the bill. The sole concern of his Department was to see that adequate hospital accommodation was available for the sick poor. The bureau scheme, which it was said the hospitals had drafted themselves, was not to come into effect until 600 additional beds should have been provided.

The Minister then read figures showing the increase in beds in Dublin hospitals between 1929 and 1940. The increases were as follows: Sir Patrick Dun's, 12; Mater, 50; Meath, 7; Richmond, 7; Royal City of Dublin, 25; Steevens's, 17; St. Kevin's, 174—total increase for the general hospitals, 292. Maternity hospitals—Holles Street, 95; Coombe, 20; Rotunda, 16. Children's hospitals—Temple Street, 28; National Children's, 17; Teac Ultan, 30. Other hospitals—St. Patrick's, 12; City of Dublin, 8; Royal Victoria Eye and Ear, 32; the Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, Cabra, 20; and St. Vincent's Home, 195—a net increase of beds in general hospitals of 503. If they added St. Michael's, Dun Laoghaire, 41; Orthopædic Hospital, Cappagh, 40; Our Lady of Lourdes, Dun Laoghaire, 32; Peamount Sanatorium, 89; Convalescent Home, Cheeverstown, 80; Linden Convalescent Home, 87; St. Augustine's Colony for Mental Defectives, 120, it made a total of 1,188 extra beds.

They knew they did not have sufficient beds available for the operation of a Bureau in the way they would like to have it operated at the time the agreement was arrived at between the former Minister and the hospitals. There had been a suggestion about a penalty, but what was inserted in the bill was the same as that in the agreement—that is, with regard to delay in admission or delay in treatment after admission. He understood from the medical view that the sole objection was to inspection with regard to the treatment of patients, medical or surgical. In the original agreement one of the headings dealt with the investigation of delay in admission to the hospitals, but did not give authority for inspection as between the practitioner and the patient.

That was being followed in the bill, and they did not want to inquire into the nature of treatment. But no matter how well conducted institutions were there would be cases from time to time where very serious results might arise from delay in treatment. He did not want to suggest that the hospitals were not well and properly run; but it might often happen that a hospital would not have the knowledge that would be brought to the Department on which they would have to take action to make that hospital more careful in future. Such cases, however, were very rare.

### MINISTER'S PROMISE

The regulations would be made by a committee appointed by the hospitals in consultation with the Minister. There might be some difficulty about waiving the question of sanction, but he certainly would not criticise or disagree with the hospitals' appointments, and he did not propose to appoint anyone himself.

The Minister deprecated attacks on civil servants, and said that he would be delighted to make any concessions within reason to secure an efficient Bureau. From time to time the report of the Hospitals' Commission had been lauded by medical opinion, and the 1933-'34 report included the provision that the hospitals should be subject to inspection at all reasonable times by the authorised representative of the Minister.

Mr. W. T. COSGRAVE said that the Minister was setting himself up as advocate and judge at the same time if he carried out the inspection and adjudicated on the report.

The MINISTER said that he would look into that point, but he did not think there was the slightest cause for alarm in regard to the inspection. The existing position applied to several hospitals at present.

The bill passed the second stage, and the Committee stage was fixed provisionally for Wednesday next.

### HOUSING BILL

Mr. RUTTLEDGE, moving the second reading of the Housing (Amendment) Bill, said that its provisions were the same as the previous measure, and extended the housing provisions for twelve months.

Mr. DOCKRELL (F.G., Dublin) asked the Minister to make a pronouncement on Government housing policy during the war period.

The House adjourned till to-day.

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# HOUSES RAZED

## GERMAN 'PLANE CRASH

### FIVE OCCUPANTS KILLED

Some casualties are reported to have been caused when a single aircraft, believed to be German, crashed on a residential district on the verge of a British south-east coast town late last night. Some houses were demolished. Fires blazed amid the wreckage.

The 'plane was heard to pass over the town a short time after distant anti-aircraft gunfire. It flew low over the houses, rapidly lost height with only one engine running, and crashed.

The sound of the explosion brought many people from their beds into the street.

Ambulances and fire engines raced to the scene. There was no air raid warning.

Following the crash an "alarm" message was circulated and the town's services mobilised. A.R.P. men, rescue and demolition squads, police and the fire brigade were rushed to the scene and the area cordoned off. Soldiers turned out to help.

The Air Ministry announced this morning:—

"Late last night enemy aircraft approached the East coast at several points. A.A. guns went into action, and one enemy aircraft crashed in a coastal town in Essex and burst into flames. Houses in the vicinity were damaged, and some occupants were injured."

Messages received early this morning state:—

### RESCUE WORK IN THE DARK

Demolition and rescue parties worked feverishly in darkness, and a rescue party official said:—"We can only be guided by such lights as are deemed safe."

Several houses were completely demolished. All occupants of the 'plane were killed. Several smaller explosions followed the major one, and incendiary bombs blazed out.

About forty casualties were taken to hospital, which is situated about 400 yards from the scene of the crash.

Military were assisted by airmen in the rescue work.

"The heavy German bomber ploughed its way through six or seven houses, and burst into flames," a resident told our reporter early to-day.

The 'plane was a Heinkel bomber, and its five occupants were killed. The 'plane dropped verey lights in order to find a landing. It is believed that when it crashed another German 'plane was following it without lights.

There are thirty-one casualties in one hospital, and some others in another.

Several injured people were taken to hotels on the front.

The roadways are scattered with *débris*. It is thought that there may be still people buried under the *débris*. A whole row of houses was wrecked.

A chauffeur said that he heard the explosion twenty miles away.

### FIRES RAGING

"The bomber, torn and twisted, is lying in the crater made when it crashed," said an eye-witness.

"Underneath are the bodies of the German airmen.

"The wrecked houses are reduced to a pile of bricks.

"Rescue and demolition squads, police, and other helpers are searching the *débris* by the dim light of shrouded torches."

"In the feeble glint of these it looked as if the houses had been subjected to heavy artillery fire," he added.

"Fires were again raging when the town's rescue services were mobilised, but the flames were quickly put out.

"So great was the force of the explosion that windows on the other side of the town were blown out.

"The full extent of the disaster will not be known until daybreak."

# BELVEDERE COLLEGE UNION

## SUCCESSFUL DANCE AT GRESHAM HOTEL

A successful dance was held in the Gresham Hotel, Dublin, last night, under the auspices of the Belvedere College Union. There was an attendance of 500 people.

The ballroom was decorated with the College colours, and spot dances and novelty numbers added to the enjoyment of the evening.

A large and representative committee was in charge of the arrangements.

Among those present were:—Dr. A. J. Horne (President of the Union), Mrs. A. J. Horne (President of the Dance Committee), E. A. Plunkett and J. A. Cullen (Joint Hon. Secretaries of the Dance Committee), Charles J. O'Connell (Hon. Treasurer), Dr. E. T. and Mrs. Freeman, R. N. McArthur (Hon. Secretary, C.U.S. Union) and Mrs. McArthur, Sarsfield Hogan (President, C.U.S. Union) and Mrs. Hogan, E. A. Dwyer (President, Blackrock College Union), J. J. Robinson (President, Clongowes Union) and Mrs. Robinson, T. J. Meleady, T. J. Barrington, G. A. Geary, T. A. Doyle, E. McCarron, G. Elliott, Eugene Davy, Dr. and Mrs. H. Kelly, D. J. O'Connor and Mrs. O'Connor, K. A. Mulcahy and Mrs. Mulcahy, J. L. Griffith, J. O'Brien, N. G. Downes, C. A. Heron and Mrs. Heron, Dr. T. P. Eustace, Dr. T. J. C. O'Connell and Mrs. O'Connell, George Morgan and Mrs. Morgan, Jas. G. O'Connor and Mrs. O'Connor, M. P. Murphy, Dr. and Mrs. Kevin Maughan, A. J. McDonald, D. Thorpe, Dr. and Mrs. Gilmartin, T. O'Hanrahan, G. Spicer, F. Tronson, the Misses E. O'Connor, N. Elliott, Eithne Maddock, M. Bushe, Moira Bradley, M. Gleeson, Una Fox, R. Healy, N. Keogh-Nolan, K. McDonald, Brenda Cullen, E. Elliott, Sheelah Brown, Kitty Nolan, O. Carroll, Mrs. Roche-Kelly, Mrs. Cruess-Callaghan, Mrs. Duignan, Miss S. O'Leary, Miss Mayne, Miss P. Tunney, Miss S. McDonald, Miss McDowell, Miss B. Walsh, K. Elliott, Miss A. O'Donnell, Mrs. Lemass.

# GERMAN RADIO AND IRELAND

## QUESTION IN THE DAIL

In the Dail yesterday, Mr. W. NORTON (Labour) asked the Minister for External Affairs whether he was aware of the unfriendly references to this country by certain German radio stations, and whether he had made, or proposed to make, representations to the German Government in the matter.

Mr. DE VALERA replied:—"I know there is a report in circulation of alleged unfriendly references to Ireland in recent German broadcasts, but I have not been able to discover anyone who claims to have actually heard the references, and the investigations I have made lead me to believe that the report is unfounded."

# UNIVERSITY OF DUBLIN

The Senate of the University of Dublin will meet in the Theatre of Trinity College to-day, at 3 p.m., for the purpose of conferring degrees.

# UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, DUBLIN

The seventh Finlay Lecture, entitled "The Functions of Universities in the Modern World," will be delivered by Professor A. M. Carr-Saunders, Director of the London School of Economics, in University College, Dublin, on Friday, May 24th, at 4.30 p.m.

# IMPORTANCE OF PROPER FOOD

## MR. W. DOOLIN ON THE AIMS OF MEDICINE

### R.C.S.I. DRAMATIC SOCIETY DINNER

If the civic authorities in Dublin devoted ninety per cent. of their attention to the careful feeding of the people the question of good housing never would arise and the problem of hospital accommodation would be solved. This view was expressed by Professor E. J. R. Evatt, D.S.O., President of the Literary and Dramatic Society of the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland, who presided at the annual dinner of the Society in the Gresham Hotel, Dublin, last night. Professor Evatt said that he thought that the beginning, middle and ending of good health centred round diet and nothing but diet.

Proposing the toast of "The Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland," Dr. Robert Collis said that he thought that the College was honoured by having Mr. Doolin as its President. He himself had been referred to on various occasions as a "crusader," an "adventurer" and a "Communist." He was none of those; he was merely trying to heal some of the ills of the people of his own City of Dublin. He had also tried to make articulate some of the beauty and the ugliness, the happiness and the pain in the lives of those people. If he had shocked some of the more fastidious, he could not help it. Of the peoples of the cities in which he had worked, including London and New York, the Dubliners were the people who appealed most to him, because they had something inimitable, something immortal, something Irish, something that was Dublin.

### THE HUMAN SIDE

Mr. W. Doolin, F.R.C.S.I., President of the College, responding, said that the practice of medicine was fairly difficult; it was both an art and a science. He who made medicine all a science and overlooked the art—that was, the human side—was going to make a sorry mess of it. Their College had weathered a great many wars. It was founded before Napoleon was heard of, and on the fields of the Crimea no fewer than 1,100 of the first medical corps founded by Florence Nightingale were licentiates of the College. He had no fears for the future of the College so long as the cordial relations that existed between professors and students were maintained.

Mr. Lynn Doyle, who proposed the toast of the Literary and Dramatic Society, said that it would seem right that medicine and the drama should be connected. The doctor was something of the dramatic artist—he acted a little; after all, the bedside manner was, to a certain extent, acting.

Speaking about the production of plays, he said that if there was one thing on which all creeds and classes were united it was the desire to avoid, if possible, the payment of fees to authors for the production of their plays. (Laughter.)

The President of the Society responded.

The toast of the guests was proposed by Mr. G. V. Reddin, and responded to by Mr. J. St. P. Cowell (Hon. Secretary).

Among those present were:—Mrs. Lynn Doyle, Mrs. Robert Collis, Dr. and Mrs. Steen, the Misses C. McKenna, B. McDonagh, C. Ledsham, M. Cooney, D. Moore, A. Browne, V. Cowell, A. Monaghan, J. McLoughlin, B. Cregan, N. McNamara and R. Coyle; Messrs. D. Manning, D. F. Early, J. Walsh, N. Monaghan, P. Kirwan, M. Kenny, J. Greer, J. Butler, M. Arnold, B. Callaghan, S. Doherty, Dr. May Prendiville, Mrs. Cowell, Miss Johnstone, Mr. E. White, Mr. O. Corrigan, Mrs. McCarthy and Mr. and Mrs. Healy.

# MASKED RAIDERS DRIVEN OFF

## PLUCKY WATERFORD WOMAN

From Our Correspondent.

*WATERFORD, Tuesday.*

How a young Waterford woman, Mrs. Elizabeth Power, of Newtown, successfully fought off three masked raiders who visited her home was told to-day by her husband, Mr. Thomas Power, garage proprietor, Waterford. Power said that while he was absent on business last night three men, with faces wrapped in scarves, knocked at his residence. A neighbour, Mrs. Murphy, who was visiting Mrs. Power, opened the door, and the raiders immediately dashed into the hall. Hearing the commotion, Mrs. Power came from an inner room, and asked the men's business. One of them replied: "We came here to make a search." Mrs. Power ordered them to leave, and on their refusal endeavoured to put them out. The raiders persisted, and in the scuffle she was knocked down and sustained some superficial bruises. This did not prevent her from returning to the attack. When she succeeded in injuring the face of one of the men they hastily fled.

# OBITUARY

### MR. W. F. HUMPHRIES

Mr. William Francis Humphries, who died yesterday at his residence, 11 Charleville road, Rathmines, Dublin, was a former district engineer of the Post Office. He was in his seventy-second year. He was a native of Limerick, and his family had had a long connection with the Postal Service. He entered the Engineering Branch as a young man, and was for many years attached to the Waterford district. After his transfer to Dublin, he had charge of the entire North-West of Ireland. Since his retirement some years ago, Mr. Humphries had studied antiques, and had taken a particular interest in old clocks.

### MR. E. J. HOPE

Mr. Edward J. Hope, one of the best-known owners of racehorses in Ireland, died yesterday at his residence, Gartlandstown House, Crookedwood, Mullingar. Mr. Hope was a constant supporter of racing in Ireland for many years, and his colours were carried on most of the courses in the Dublin circuit and at Midland and Western meetings. He owned a number of winners, including Prudent One, Prudent Ross, Prudent Town, Prudent Man, Prudent Girl, and Prudent Miss, and he also bred Prudent Pat, winner of the Galway Hurdle Race in 1928. Mr. Hope was an uncle of Mr. Charles Fagan, T.D. for Westmeath.

# HOWTH RATES UNCHANGED

At a special meeting of Howth Urban District Council last night a rate of 22s. 6d. in the pound was adopted, the rate being the same as last year. It is made up as follows:—Poor rate, 8s. 6d. (last year, 6s. 9d.); town rate, 11s. 8d. (last year, 13s. 3d.), and water charge on valuations 2s. 4d. (last year, 2s. 6d.).

Mr. E. Reid said that they should be proud that they had been able to keep the rates at the same level. He paid a tribute to the work of the Town Clerk, Mr. P. J. McKenna. Mr. R. J. Burke said that, if the Government did not put on the rates what should be national charges, they could have reduced their rate by, at least, 2s. 6d. in the pound.

A water rate charge of 1s. 6d. per 1,000 gallons was fixed.

Sympathy was extended to the relatives of the late Captain J. C. de Lacy.

Mrs. F. E. Jermyn (Vice-Chairman) presided.

MUNSTER AND LEINSTER BANK. Pupils of ROSSE COLLEGE, 65 Stephen's Green, Dublin, gained 3 appts. at last exam. Class and Correspondence Tuition.—(Advt.)

# GOLD CUPS AND MEDALS

## THE FEIS CEOIL COMPETITIONS

### JUDGE PRAISES IRISH SINGING

Men singers—and more particularly the tenors—in the competition for the Joseph O'Mara Cup for operatic aria, in the Feis Ceoil last night, came in for a severe castigation from the adjudicator, Mr. Frederic Austin. After the splendidly-high standard in the earlier vocal classes it was somewhat of an anti-climax to have such poor singing in this event, and Mr. Austin was but giving expression to the thoughts of the vast majority of the audience in the Metropolitan Hall when he proclaimed his disappointment. It was not so much the actual quality of the singing voice—though some of the tenors were very crude—that irritated as the unpardonable liberties taken by the singers, especially in the important matter of time. The cup winner—a tenor from Belfast—did some little thing to redeem the situation, and he had his second triumph of the week.

What a contrast all this was to the excellent standard in the Denis O'Sullivan Memorial Medal class in the afternoon, when after a delightfully-entertaining contest a popular win was achieved by Mr. George W. Leonard, who is more widely known for his skill in Irish dancing. That he is also a most cultured singer was demonstrated in his singing of "Sal Og Ruadh" and "The Star of the County Down."

There had also been a fine class in the competition for mezzo-soprano solo-singing in the morning session, a pleasing feature being that most of the singers were genuine mezzo-soprani.

The proud interest taken in pianoforte-playing in Dublin was evident in the big crowds that filled the Abbey Lecture Hall during the day. Here the most notable happening was the triumph of Miss Maura O'Sharkey, who played in brilliant fashion to win the Senior Piano Cup in the morning and the Hamilton Harty Cup for Piano Concerto at night. Her playing of the little-known Serenade and Allegro Giojoso of Mendelssohn had a delicate charm and brilliance that won warm plaudits from the adjudicator and audience.

### THE O'MARA CUP

Joseph O'Mara Cup—For male voices. Cup won by Mr. Norman Thompson, 405 Lisburn road, Belfast; highly commended, Mr. Walter S. Douglas, 24 Braemar Park, Rathgar, Dublin; commended, Thomas McCormick, 3 Ardenlea Parade, Belfast, and John Christopher Bowen, 278 Old Youghal road, Cork.

Mr. Frederic Austin, adjudicating, said the competition had disappointed him very much, particularly because of the shocking errors in musical taste that some of the competitors had put before him. The tenors were notorious sinners, and surpassed themselves in that direction. They seemed to have the notion that in an operatic aria they could do anything they liked with the time so long as they produced effective tone. Tone they did produce, and he wished he could have missed it in most cases. Nevertheless, he had selected as prize-winner a tenor who did not come under the general condemnation. The baritone (Mr. Douglas), who was also recalled for a second hearing, had sung the Verdi "Credo" in some ways quite effectively, but he had not seemed at home in the simple Irish song ("The Sally Gardens").

Boys' Solo Singing—1, gold medal, Terence Gregg, Egremont, Cable road, Whitehead, Antrim (89); 2, silver medal, Thomas Byrne, 160 Bangor road, Kimmage, Dublin (87); 3, bronze medal, Roy Ferguson, 9 Alexandra Park avenue, York road, Belfast (86). Commended—Oscar Craig, 117 Howth road, Dublin; Brendan Egan, 52 North Circular road, Dublin; Robert T. McLean, 187 Ravenhill road, Belfast; J. Kinsella, St. Mary's place C.B.S., Dublin; Wallace Beatty, Ballintyre, Dundrum, Co. Dublin; J. R. Lindsay, 89 Brian road, Fairview, Dublin; Adrian Anderson, 40 Loopland Gardens, Belfast; Donal O'Colman, Cnocalla, Clonsilla, Co. Dublin; Donald H. Mescock, Grammar School, Carrickmacross, and Michael Byrne, 69 Cork street, Dublin.

Dr. Eric Thiman, who adjudicated, said that this was a very good class. A fault with some of the competitors was that they did not hit the notes right in the centre. In the Handel aria he looked for a musical sense, but only in three or four cases was the climax brought off. In the Moore song they were all too sloppy with the rhythm. Referring to the gold medal winner, Dr. Thiman said that this boy showed a nice, easy movement in the long phrases of the Handel aria, and was one of the few who built up the climax well. He had good quality of tone. He sang the Moore song well, the long phrases were well treated, well controlled, and there was some expression in the singing.

### MEZZO-SOPRANO QUALITY

Mezzo-Soprano Solo Singing.—1, gold medal, Evelyn Nesbitt, Breffni House, Dalkey, County Dublin; 2, silver medal, Bessy Morrison, Henry street, Ballymoney, Co Antrim; 3, bronze medal, Ursula O'Riordan, 52 Kenilworth Park, Dublin. Highly Commended—Mary Jones, Merefield, Spencer Villas, Glenageary, County Dublin; Betty Wingard, 45 Sandymount road, Dublin, and Gwendoline Madge Britton, 44 Rathgar avenue, Rathgar, Dublin. Commended—Meta Donaldson, Annadale, Naas, County Kildare; Ethna Graham, 80 Iona road, Dublin; Catherine Curran, 243 Oxmantown road, Dublin; Marie Watson, Wesley College, Dublin; Mrs. Avis McDermott, 8 Galtrim road, Bray, County Wicklow, and Eileen Keys, Dominican College, Eccles street, Dublin.

Mr. Frederic Austin, who adjudicated, said it had been a close competition, and the general standard of the singing was very high. Most of the voices were produced easily, and the tone flowed nicely, and they had a goodly proportion of real mezzo-soprano quality. He was extremely pleased with the general good method of singing and the ease with which the voices were used. The gold medal winner had an attractive quality. Her voice was clear and musically sustained. The bigger phrases of the Larchet song were well sung, with point and meaning. In the second song ("Short Cut to the Rosses") she again sang very musically, with meaning and clarity of words.

Children's Trio—1, Holy Faith Convent, Dominick street, Dublin, Trio B (Tessie O'Carroll, Nellie Kirwan and Imelde Hyland), (88); 2, Wesley College Trio B (87). Highly Commended—Holy Faith Convent, Dominick street, Dublin, Trio A (Patricia O'Loughlin, Helen Wearen and Ada Leahy) (86); Glengara Park School, Dun Laoghaire, Trio No. 1 (Dorothy Pemberton, Audrey Franklin and G. Deans) (86); and Gerard Sullivan, Edward O'Connell and John Neilan, 12 Lower Pembroke street, Dublin (85); Commended—Dominican Convent, Sion Hill, Blackrock trio (Eileen Gunning, Norrie McCormick and Maire Moore) (83), and Glengara Park School Trio No. II. (Dorothy Eaton, Olive Lilburn and Joan Whiteside) (83).

Dr. Thiman said that the first prize winners possessed six very good ears. They kept well in tune, and did splendid chording. They had voices of good quality, and their precision was excellent. The diction was clear, and their work pleasing, though there might have been a little more continuity in the delivery.

### SIGHT-SINGING

Solo Sight Singing.—1, gold medal, Ursula O'Riordan, Kenilworth Park, Dublin, 89; 2, silver medal, Norman Medcalfe, O'Connell street, Limerick, 88.

Dr. Thiman said that it was gratifying to find so many entries in a difficult class like this. The first prize winner had a good sense of pitch and time, and her work showed musical ability.

Denis O'Sullivan Memorial Medal, for best rendering of two Irish songs of own choice—Medal won by Mr. George W. Leonard, 30 Haverty road, Clontarf; highly commended, Miss Betty Waterhouse, Killarney House, Bray, Co. Wicklow, and Mrs. Maisie MacDonagh, Cintra, Malahide, Co. Dublin; commended, Miss Dorothy G. Penney, Cotswold, Kimmage road, West, Terenure; Miss Patsy Lecky, 3 West End Park, Derry; Miss Ethna Graham, 80 Iona road, Glasnevin; Michael Burke, 54 Edenvale road, Ranelagh, Dublin, and Laurence Daniel-Wilson, 33 Kenilworth square, Rathgar, Dublin.

Mr. Austin, adjudicating, said that what competitors had to do with folk songs was to give them such a rendering that, without lessening their native qualities, they could well take their place on the public musical platform.

A thing to be deprecated was the introduction of alternative high notes into folk songs, such as had been done by one competitor. Folk songs must not have this modern trick foisted upon them. The medal winner had sung his first song in Irish, and another competitor had also sung in Irish. The curious thing was that both of them had sung better in their native language than in English, and he felt that if he had understood the language he would have been even more impressed. The way in which they sang the Irish was, to him, beautiful in sound and most convincing. In addition to his Irish song, the medal winner had sung his second song with very fine rhythm, though the words might have been a little clearer.

Senior Piano (the Caroline Reilly Cup), 32 entries—1 (and Cup), Maura O'Sharkey, Coolevin, Rathfarnham; 2, Doris Lawlor, 71 Eccles street, Dublin; 3, Gertrude Leahy, Portrane, Donabate, County Dublin; very highly commended, Eric Henry de Courcy, Weston, Baily, County Dublin; highly commended, Muriel Parr, Shanid road, Harold's Cross; Vivien Booth, 12 Argyle road, Ballsbridge, Dublin; George M. Rothwell, 22 Oaklands terrace, Terenure, Dublin; Winifred Rankin, 52 Home Villas, Donnybrook; Agnes Wardlaw, 76 George's avenue, Blackrock, County Dublin; Oliver O'Brien, 37 Parnell square, Dublin; Florence A. Senior, 11 Victoria Villas, Malahide; Nell Jordan, The Square, Enniscorthy; Joan V. Greene, Collin House, Dunmurry, Belfast; Kathleen A. Symmonds, Rockbrae, Westminster road, Foxrock.

Mr. Lloyd Powell, adjudicating, said that of all the competitions he had heard the standard of this competition was about the best. There was a long list of highly commended competitors, but, in fact, all the others taking part in the competition could be considered as commended. The winner played with great musicianship, and the second prize-winner showed great individuality and character.

Duet for two Pianos (3 entries)—1 and gold medal, Edgar W. J. Boucher and George M. Rothwell, 22 Oaklands terrace, Terenure, Dublin; highly commended, Eileen and Kathleen Symmonds, Rockbrae, Westminster road, Foxrock.

The adjudicator, Mr. Percy Waller, said that he had heard some very good playing of a very difficult work. The winners opened extremely well with a good balance and flowing tempo. The finale was a fine piece of playing and fine climax building.

Fritz Brase Cup (for pianoforte sight reading (13 entries)—Won by Louis Joseph Brennan, 4 Seaview terrace, Ailesbury road, Dublin, who was also presented with a volume of classical music. Dorothy L. Kingston, Grasmere, Sutton, and Dorinda Scott, 11 Neville road, Rathgar, were highly commended. Harry Kearns, 7 Millmount place, Drumcondra; Patricia Herbert, 187 Griffith avenue, and Dorothy Graham, Wesley College, were commended. The cup was presented to the winner by Lieutenant O'Hara, on behalf of Colonel Fritz Brase.

Mr. Lloyd Powell, adjudicating, said that the winner played confidently.

The Hamilton Harty Cup, presented by Sir Hamilton Harty, for pianoforte concerto (9 entries)—The cup was won by Miss Maura O'Sharkey, Coolevin, Rathfarnham, County Dublin; very highly commended, Maura Nolan, 422 Harold's Cross road, Terenure, and Vera L. Bryans, 5 Whiston road, Terenure.

The adjudicator, Mr. Percy Waller, said that he did not know when he had a class where playing was so good all the way through. In the winner's performance the Serenade had much poetry and a fine intensity of feeling. The phrasing was beautifully shaped. The tone was very charming. The Allegro was full of grip and sparkle. The finger articulation was clear and good, and the player had a very excellent range of tone.

Trio of Female Voices—1st prize, gold medal to each member of trio, Miss Houston's Trio, Alexandra College, Dublin (89 marks); 2nd prize, silver medal to each member of trio, The Tudors, c/o P. Whitehead, Dugort, Terenure road, Dublin (88 marks); 3rd prize, bronze medal to each member, Joan Van Miert, Alice Hernon, Peggy O'Carroll, 10 Beechwood road, Ranelagh, Dublin (87 marks); very highly commended, St. Louis Trio, Convent of St. Louis, Charleville road, Rathmines, Dublin (86 marks).

Dr. Eric Thiman, adjudicating, said that the winners were the only one trio of whom he could say that they listened to each other. Each of them knew what the other was going to sing, and each of them knew their own part. This meant that they had complete harmony. They also sang well in tune, and were the only trio to do so.

Cornet Solo—1 and Gold Medal, Pierce O'Dwyer, 161 St. Attracta road, Dublin (97 marks); 2 and Silver Medal, William Daly, Usher's quay (89). The adjudicator (Dr. Herbert Howells) said that the winner showed an excellent command of technique and the capabilities of his instrument.

Gervase Elwes Cup (confined to vocal solo prize-winners of previous years)—Cup won by Mrs. Molly D. Dunlop, 3 Grosvenor place, Rathmines (92); highly commended, Miss Mary Todd Johnson, 35 St. Lawrence road, Clontarf (90), and Miss Jessie Lowry, Prince Edward terrace, Blackrock, County Dublin (89).

Dr. Eric Thiman said that there were in this competition singers with whom Gervase Elwes would have been proud to be associated. Their singing had delicate artistry and vision. The cup winner had caught the mood of her songs beautifully. There was breadth and sincerity in her singing, and meaning and feeling in every phrase. She had hypnotised him, especially with the beauty and delicacy of her pianissimo singing.

# THE GAELIC PLAYERS

## CLOSE OF SUCCESSFUL WEEK

In the season of which this is the concluding week the Gaelic Players have given some excellent performances, and also one or two that have not come up to the company's general level.

Last night's production of "Fás agus Feochadh," by Seán O Conchubhair, at the Peacock Theatre, must be counted among the successes of the year. Judged by last night's production, this play was fully worthy of the Oireachtas prize it won for its author. It combines good drama with good dialogue, and the very least that can be said of its author is that he has the root of the matter in him. Its theme is the losing fight of a young teacher just out of training against forces that are too many for him, these forces being personified in the well-established master and, behind the scenes, the parish priest.

In this play the Gaelic drama has at last grown up, and for that due credit ought to go to O Conchubhair.

players. In the leading *rôle* the author himself showed that he is as capable of filling a serious part as he is of light comedy. Moirin Ni Chuilleanain's widow mother was a living replica of many an Irish countrywoman faced by circumstances beyond her control. In other parts Sean O Siothchain, Diarmuid O h-Ainfighe, and Seamus O Suileabhain did not succumb to the temptation to overplay, as did at times Eibhlin Ni Mhurchadha and Seamus O Dubhda.

As a curtain-raiser the Players gave a contemporary verse dramatisation by "An Seabhac" of the humorous poem, "An Siota agus A Mhathair." If Irish speakers had produced drama, they might have done something like this. Last night it sounded rather monotonous, but that was due more to the metre than to the acting of Sean O Conchubhair, Eibhlin Ni Mhurchadha and Sean O Siothchain.

It was a good ending to a by no means disappointing season.

### DUBLIN PROPERTY SALES

That the demand for property in Dublin still continues to hold good was evidenced by the large attendance at Mr. Albert MacArthur's Salesrooms, MacArthur House, D'Olier street, Dublin, yesterday, when he disposed of the following properties at satisfactory prices:—"Berkeley House," 49 Eccles street; "St. Anne's," 25 Ranelagh road; 68 Irishtown road, Sandymount, and 15 Gordon street, Ringsend. £775 was bid for 41 Grove Park, Rathmines; £660 for 8 Marguerite road, Glasnevin, and £525 for 48 Terenure road, North. "Eyreville," 3 Zion road, Rathgar; "Aideen," 27 Belmont Gardens, Donnybrook, and 29 New Bride street were sold prior to auction.

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# THE WAR IN NORWAY

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the raid developed, but all attacks w[ere] pressed home, and considerable dam[age] is believed to have been done to the a[ir]port and aircraft dispersed around [it]. One of the British aircraft failed [to] return.

## NAVAL ACTION IN SKAGERRAK

### HEAVY GUNFIRE FOR SEVEN HOURS

Press Association War Special.

*STOCKHOLM, Tuesday.*

A big naval action is believed to h[ave] taken place in the Skagerrak yesterd[ay] according to to-day's *Gothenburg* P[osten]. From 3 p.m. onwards, it says, flashes [of] heavy gunfire were seen south of Lysek[il]. Towards 10 p.m. the firing increased, a[nd] the fighting appeared to be moving sou[th]wards.

Naval activity has been freque[ntly] observed from Lysekil. Two nights [ago] a convoy of twelve vessels sudde[nly] scattered, but owing to the distance it w[as] impossible to distinguish whether s[ub]marines or mines were responsible.

## HERR HITLER'S ORDER OF THE DAY

### "AN INDOMITABLE ADVANCE"

Press Association War Special.

*BERLIN, Tuesday.*

Hitler, as Fuehrer and Supreme Co[m]mander, has addressed the following Or[der] of the Day to German units engaged [in] the fighting in Norway:—

"Soldiers of the Norwegian theatre [of] war,—In an indomitable advance Germ[an] troops have to-day established a con[nec]tion by land between Oslo and Trondhe[im].

"Thus the intention of the West[ern] Powers to bring Germany to her knees [by] a belated occupation of Norway has be[en] finally crushed.

"Units of the Navy, Army and [Air] Force have brought to completion a mo[del] of co-operation which does the high[est] honour to the daring young German for[ces].

"Officers, non-commissioned officers a[nd] men,—In the Norwegian theatre of [war] you have fought against all inclem[ent] elements at sea, on land and in the a[ir] and against the resistance of the enemy.

"You have accomplished the migh[ty] task which I had to impose on you, beli[ev]ing in you and your strength.

"I am proud of you. Through me t[he] nation expresses its thanks to you.

"As the highest mark of recogniti[on] and of this gratitude, I award to [the] Commander-in-Chief in Norway, Gene[ral] von Falkenhorst, the Knight's Insignia [of] the Iron Cross.

"On the recommendation of your Co[m]mander-in-Chief, I shall also decorate [the] bravest among you. But the high[est] reward for you all must be the convicti[on] that in the most fateful fight of our nati[on] for existence, or non-existence, you ha[ve] made a decisive contribution.

"I know that you will continue to fu[lfil] the tasks entrusted to you.

"Long live great Germany!"

## TWO SUBMARINES FEARED LOST

### TWO TRAWLERS SUNK

*LONDON, Tuesday.*

Two British submarines, the Tar[pon] and the Sterlet, are overdue and presu[med] lost.

The British Admiralty also annou[nced] that two trawlers, the Bradman and [the] Cape Siretoko, have been sunk by bo[mbs]. No loss of life is reported.

The Admiralty *communiqué* stated: "[The] Secretary of the Admiralty regrets [to] announce that H.M. submarines Tar[pon] (Lt.-Comdr. H. J. Caldwell, R.N.) a[nd] Sterlet (Lt.-Comdr. G. H. S. Haw[ard], R.N.) are now considerably overdue, a[nd] must be considered lost. Next-of-kin h[ave] been informed.

H.M. trawlers Bradman (Lt. A. A. [] Talbot, R.N.) and Cape Siretoko (Lt. [] N. Blundell, R.N.R.) sustained dam[age] by bomb and subsequently sank. No l[oss] of life has been reported in either cas[e]."

The Tarpon (1,090 tons) had a norm[al] complement of 53, and was sister ship [of] the Trident, Triton and Truant. She w[as] also of the same class as the Thetis a[nd] the Thistle, which was recently presu[med] lost.

The Sterlet (670 tons) was of the Sh[ark] class, and had a normal complement of [40].

Britain began the war with 57 s[ub]marines, of which seven have b[een] reported lost.

## THE ARREST OF MR. J. P. BROWN

### STATEMENT IN BRITISH COMMONS

In the British House of Commons yes[terday], Mr. R. Morrison (Labour) ask[ed] the Secretary of State for the Hom[e] Department for what reason Mr. J. P. Brown, of Hillside road, Stamford Hill, a member of the Post Office Engineerin[g] Union, was arrested at his place of employ[ment], Tottenham Telephone Exchange, o[n] 17th April and had since been detained [in] custody.

Mr. Osbert Peake (Parliamentar[y] Under-Secretary, Home Office) replied [that] Mr. Brown was arrested by the poli[ce] under the Prevention of Violen[ce] (Temporary Provisions) Act, 1939, as [a] person suspected of being concerned in th[e] preparation or instigation of acts [of] violence as defined in that Act. The Hom[e] Secretary, having satisfied himself afte[r] careful inquiry that there was reasonabl[e] cause to believe that Mr. Brown was c[on]cerned, made an order for his detentio[n] under Defence Regulation 18 B, but gav[e] instructions that he should be given th[e] option of leaving the country in lieu of re[]maining in detention. He did not exercis[e] his right to make objections to th[e] Advisory Committee, but accepted thi[s] option, and left for Eire on the 25th instant.

In reply to a further question, Mr. Peake said that it was understood tha[t] this man was concerned in illegal activities.

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## WEDDINGS

### MR. JAMES CONDON AND MISS K. FITZGERALD

The wedding took place at the Church of the Sacred Heart, Donnybrook, Dublin, of Mr. James Condon, son of Mr. J. P. and Mrs. Condon, Victoria road, Cork, and Miss Kathleen FitzGerald, daughter of Mr. Michael J. and Mrs. FitzGerald, Ballintaggart, Callan, Co. Kilkenny.

The ceremony, with Nuptial Mass, was performed by the Rev. John Fennelly, C.C., Donnybrook (uncle of the bride), assisted by the Rev. R. Quinn, C.C., Ballingarry, Tipperary, and the Rev. J. Finucane, C.S.Sp., Blackrock College.

The Misses Joan and Ena FitzGerald (sisters of the bride) were bridesmaids, and Mr. M. de Courcy, Limerick, acted as best man.

A reception was held afterwards at the Gresham Hotel.

### MR. JAMES BARRY AND MISS VERA SULLIVAN

At Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Ballinlough, Co. Cork, yesterday, the wedding took place of Mr. James Barry, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Barry, Castlelyons, Fermoy, and Miss Vera Sullivan, daughter of Mrs. and the late Mr. Joseph Sullivan, Eglantine, Douglas, County Cork.

The Very Rev. Canon Murphy, P.P., Blackrock, officiated, and was assisted by the Rev. W. Murphy, C.C.; the Rev. Father Anthony, O.F.M.Cap.; and the Rev. Father Hegarty, O.P., Waterford.

The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. Stanley Sullivan.

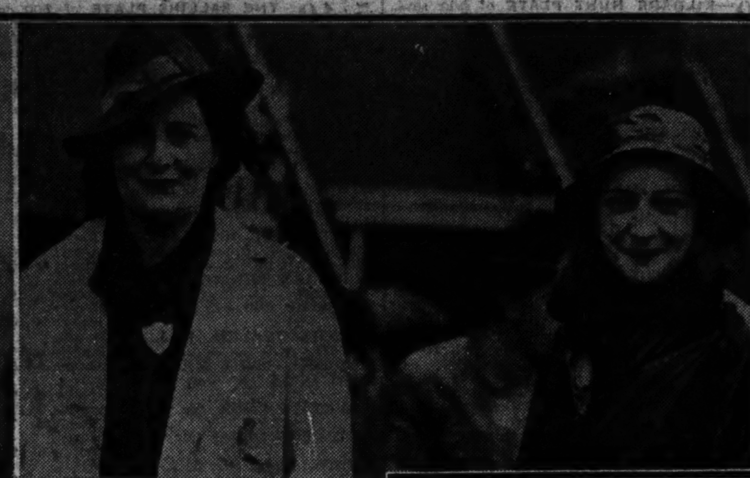
Mr. Edmond Rooney acted as best man, and the bride's sister, Mrs. Edward Cotter, as matron of honour.

After the ceremony the bride's mother held a reception at Eglantine.

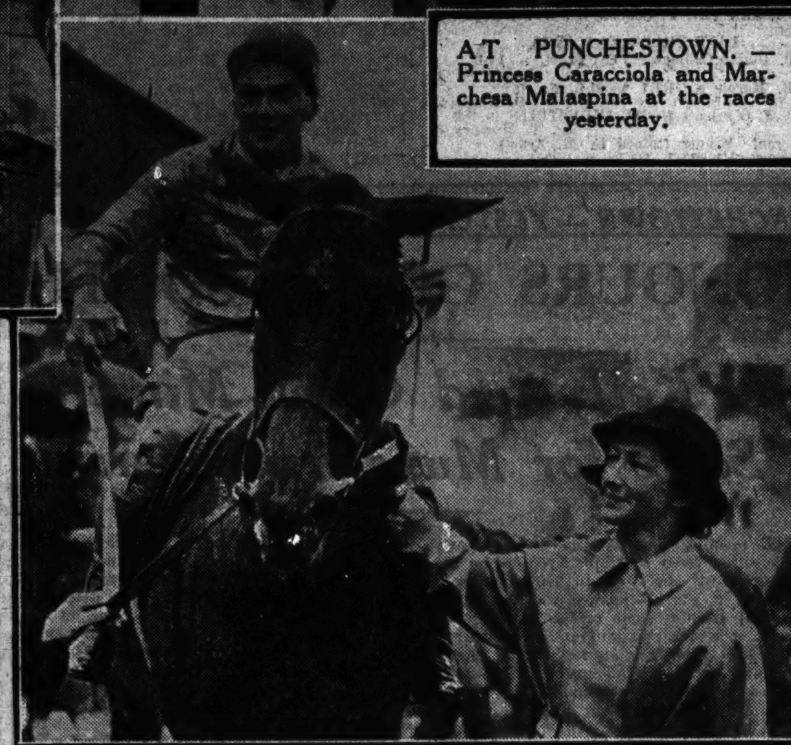
The North-East Dublin constituency executive at their April monthly meeting passed a resolution of sympathy with the widow and family of the late Captain de Lacy, P.C., T.C., M.C.

# PUNCHESTOWN : THE BIG FIRE

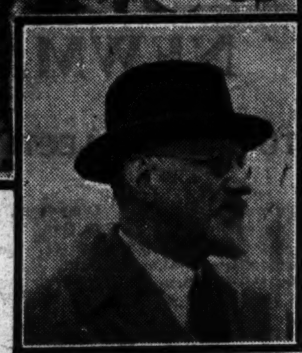
WATCHING THE RACES at Punchestown yesterday.—Countess Taaffe and Mr. Shawe-Taylor.



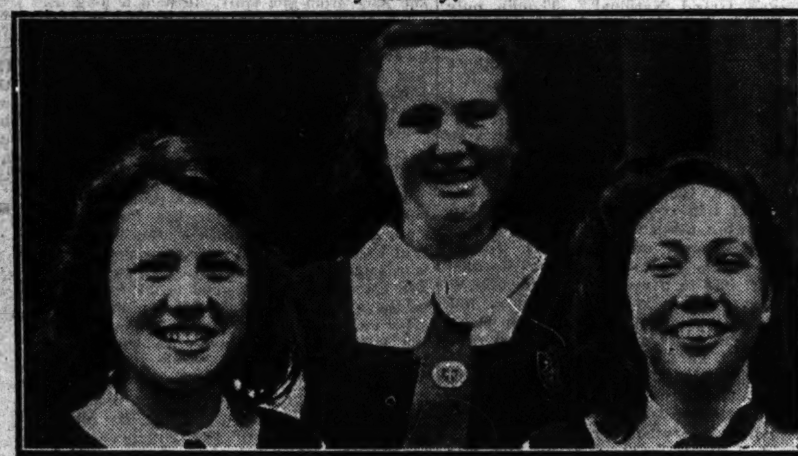
AT PUNCHESTOWN.—Princess Caracciola and Marchesa Malaspina at the races yesterday.



KNOCKADROLEEN being led in by its owner, Miss B. Kearns, after winning the Prince of Wales's Plate at Punchestown Races yesterday.

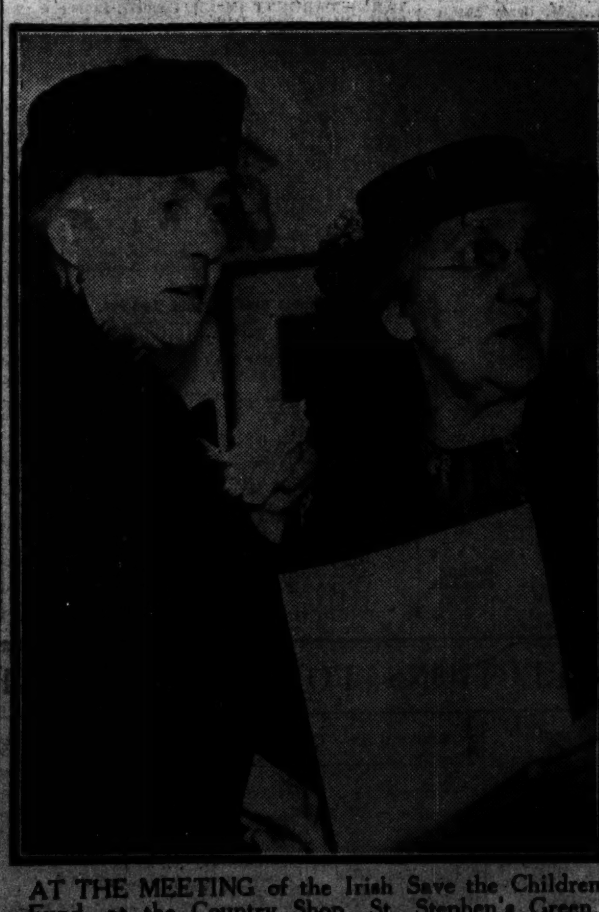


DAN KELLY, winner of the Punchestown Cup, being led in by the owner, Mr. G. A. Harris, and Mrs. Harris, at Punchestown yesterday. Inset: Lord Dunsany at the meeting.



CHILDREN'S TRIO winners at the Feis Ceoil yesterday. They are (from left): Miss Imelda Hyland, Miss N. Kirwan and Miss Teresa O'Carroll, all pupils of the Holy Faith Convent, Dominick street, Dublin.

THE SCENE during the huge timber yard fire, which broke out at East Wall, Dublin, on Monday night.



AT THE MEETING of the Irish Save the Children Fund, at the Country Shop, St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, yesterday.—Mrs. T. Kettle (left) and Mrs. C. Curran (Vice-President).

APRIL BLOOMS.—A 35-foot high rhododendron tree in the gardens at Fernhill, Sandyford, Co. Dublin, the residence of Mr. Joseph Walker. Grown from seed imported from China in 1866 by Sir Frederick Moore's father, it was planted by the late Judge Darley.

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## FROM THE LEGAL DIARY

LAW NOTICES—Wednesday, May 1.

AN CHUIRT BHREITHIUNAIS UACHTARACH
(The Supreme Court.)

At 11 o'clock. For Hearing—O'Connor v. the Capitol Theatre, Ltd., at hearing.

AN PRIMH-BHREITHEAMH.
(The Chief Justice.)

For Friday, 3rd May (sitting in the Supreme Court). Petitions to be appointed Commissioners to administer oaths by Charles Greene, Falcarragh; Cuthbert J. Furlong, Letterkenny; John Grant Sweeney, Ballyshannon.

CLARATHOIR NA gCOIMIRCITHE CUIRTE.
(The Registrar of Wards of Court.)

Before the Registrar, at 11.30 o'clock—Exparte applications; Gallagher, a minor, original summons, James Tanham and Co.; McAvoy, a minor, settle cert.; Kerr a minor, Wray and Telford; Lee, a minor, A. and L. Goodbody; summons, J. Reilly.

Before Mr. Magahan, at 11 o'clock—Vouch account, C. K. Murphy; vouch account, Lambert and Warren.

AN ARD-CHUIRT BHREITHIUNAIS.
(The High Court.)

In Court 6, at 11 o'clock. Actions—Bayley Butler v. Howth U.D.C. (at hearing); National Union of Railwaymen (Road Transport) v. G.S. Railways Co.; same (Railway Shops) v. same. For Thursday, 2nd May. Action—Vaughan v. Hayes.

NON-JURY ACTIONS.

In Court 3, at 11 o'clock—Dennehy v. Dairy Disposal Co., Ltd. (breach of agreement) (at hearing). At the conclusion of the above case at hearing—Sharrock and Co., Ltd., v. Cohen (goods sold and counter-claim).

ATHCHOMHAIRC CHUARDA.
(Circuit Appeals.)

In Court 4, at 11 o'clock—Hayes v. Bodkin (at hearing); the Irish Land Commission v. Hans; Hans v. the Irish Land Commission; Gargan v. Bannister.

In Court 2. For Thursday, 2nd May. Action—Commissioners of Public Works v. Peterson and Albeck and others. Action (part heard)—Bryan and others v. Irish Land Commission.

In Court 1. For Monday, 6th May. Revenue Petition—In the matter of the Finance Act, 1894, Patrick Dunne Cullinan petitioner, the Revenue Commissioners respondents.

MAISTIR NA hARD-CHUIRTE.
(The Master of the High Court.)

At 11 o'clock. Motions of Course. Summonses—Munster and Leinster Bank v. Freeze; National Bank v. Murphy; White v. Gordon; Lalor v. Glynn; Fry-Cadbury v. Morris; Keenan v. Wallis. Motions of Course—Keenan v. Wallis; National Bank v. O'Callaghan; Musgrave v. Henry; Royal Bank of Ireland v. Harris; Foster v. Fingall and others. At 12.30 o'clock. Account—Fogarty v. Broderick.

BANKRUPTCY.

At 12 o'clock—Arrangt., pr. dts. Brady and Briscoe; Lucas, vch. mtge. ac., Collins and Son; Gallagher, pr. dts. and vch., Hayes and Sons; Kelly, vch. ac., C. B. W. Boyle; O'Callaghan, vch. ac., Collins and Son; arrangt., ac. comp., do.; do., prove a dt., do.; do., ac. comp., Little and Cullen.

OIFIG AN MHAISTIR-MHEASAIREACHTA.
(The Taxing Master's Office.)

Master O'Hanlon at 11 o'clock—Oulton to Franks and Oulton, Franks and Oulton; Trench v. Ashtown, S. S. and E. Reeves and Sons; same v. same, F. J. W. Darley; same v. same, Darley, Orpen and McGillycuddy.

Master Kennedy, at 11 o'clock. Ex Parte Taxations—Farrell v. Maharry, Hoey and Denning.

OIFIG AN SCRUDORA.
(The Examiner's Office.)

Before Mr. Adderley (Room 104), at 11 o'clock—Dolan's Trusts, Dolan v. Dolan.

Before Mr. Greville (Room 103), at 11 o'clock—National Bank, Ltd., v. M. J. Doyle; J. T. Huggard, decd., Vaughan v. Huggard; J. Lane, decd., Chidley v. Lane; M. A. Byrne, decd., McLoughlin v. Byrne.

CHOIMISIUN TALMHAN NA h-EIREANN.
(Irish Land Commission.)

At Examiners' Chambers, at 63 Merrion Square.

Before Mr. Grove-White, at 11 o'clock—Murdock, vouch. At 11.30 o'clock—Murdock, discharge rulings and settle schedule. At 12 o'clock—Peyton, vouch. At 3 o'clock—Jefferson, discharge rulings and settle schedule.

Before Mr. Spain, at 11 o'clock—Maxwell Boyle, vouch.

Before Mr. Martin, at 11 o'clock—Keating, vouch.

At 89 Merrion Square.

Before Mr. O'Byrne, at 11 o'clock—O Flahertie, discharge rulings. At 3.30 o'clock—Resumed holding of Skeffington, discharge rulings.

Before Mr. Tyrrell, at 11 o'clock—Naughton, discharge rulings and settle schedule. At 3 o'clock—L'Estrange, vouch.

Before Mr. P. Byrne, at 3 o clock—Tottenham, vouch.

CENTRAL CRIMINAL COURT.

Monday, the 27th May, 1940, has been appointed as the date of the next Sitting of the Central Criminal Court at Green Street Courthouse, Dublin, at 11 o'clock a.m.

AN CHUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS CHUARDA.
(Circuit Court of Justice.)

Before Judge Davitt, at the Law Courts, Chancery place, at 11 o'clock. Equity Minor Applications—Laurence Duggan, a minor; Sheila Byrne, a minor; Elizabeth Weldon, a minor; Henry Barrett, a minor; William O'Gorman, a minor; Elizabeth Kelly, a minor; Patricia Drum, a minor; Thomas Laurence O'Toole, a minor; Arthur McMullen, a minor; William J. McMullan, a minor; Charles Martin, a minor; Mary Doyle, a minor; Maureen Devlin, a minor; Elizabeth Levy, a minor; Catherine Casley, a minor; Mary Teresa Garry, a minor; Eileen Davitt, a minor; Joseph Coughlan, a minor; George O'Callaghan, a minor; James Joyce, a minor; Terence Brennan, a minor; Elizabeth Egan, a minor; Edward McDonald, a minor; Passmore, minors; Mary Ward, a minor; Alfred Xavier Hand; Jane O'Toole, a minor; Mary Coffee, a minor; Gerard Cottington, a minor; Margaret Miller, a minor; Margaret Hill, a minor; Sheehan, minors; John J. May, a minor; Eva Monnolly, a minor; Annie Stapleton, a minor; Beryl Clancy, a minor; Kathleen Callaghan, a minor; Stewart, minors; Kathleen Carroll, a minor; Joseph P. Reid, a minor; Peter Jos. Farrell, a minor. Equity Suits—Dunne and another v. Safety Service Garage, Ltd.; National Bank, Ltd., v. Murphy.

Before Judge Shannon, at the Law Courts, Chancery place, at 11 o'clock a.m. Motion—Andrews and Co., Ltd., v. Dowd (Equity). Applications for Summary Judgment—Roche v. O'Neill; Garvey v. Johnson; Association of the Housing of Very Poor v. Moloney. Civil Actions—Jesson v. Elgee; Kelly v. Arklow Pottery and Co.; English Discount Co. v. Cassidy and another.

Before Judge Davitt, at the Law Courts, Chancery place. For Thursday, 2nd May, at 11 o'clock. Valuation Appeals—G.S. Railways, applts., Commissioner of Valuation, respdt.; G.N. Railways, applts., same, respdt. (to be mentioned). Equity Suits—O'Brien v. Sharman Crawford and Co., Ltd.; Good and another v. O'Riordan; Mullen v. Phillips; Nestor v. O'Neill.

Before Judge Shannon, at the Law Courts, Chancery place. For Thursday, 2nd May, at 11 o'clock. Applications for Summary Judgment—Meehan v. Stewart; Law and another v. Molloy; Associated Properties, Ltd., v. McKirdy. Civil Actions—Southern Insurance Co. v. Fagan; Scarry v. Maison Prost, Ltd.; Williams v. Croly.

AN CLARATHOIR CONTAE.
(The County Registrar.)

At 12.30 o'clock. Taxation of Costs—Ball v. Patterson. Equity—National Bank, Ltd., v. Mooney. At 3 o'clock—Gallagher v. Gallagher.

CUIRT DUITHCHE NA CATHRACH.
(Metropolitan District Court.)

At Morgan place. Before Mr. McCarthy, at 10.30 o'clock—Defended Civil Processes, adjourned from previous Sessions; Defended Ejectment Processes, adjourned from previous Sessions.

## UNIVERSITY OF DUBLIN

### TRINITY COLLEGE

The following candidates have passed the Trinity Term Supplemental B.A. degree examination:—Anderson, Norman James; Aoidh, Seoirse Ailbhe Mac; Ashmore John Switzer; Barnsley, Alan Gabriel; Baxter, Samuel Alexander; Bennett, Robert Francis Henry; Best, Frederick Matthew; Best, Irene Margaret; Bigger, Maude Florence Patricia; Boydell, Brenda Rosevear; Brooks, Donal Meredith; Caldwell, William Gordon Dickson; Carey, Robert Wilson; Carleton, Arthur Webber; Clarke, Leslie Reginald Minchin; Collen, Lyal David Gordon; Cowan, Adrian William David; Craig, Catherine Eleanor; Croasdaile, Helen Una; Dignan, John Francis; Dignan, Joseph William; Donovan, Edward Alexander; Dunlop, John Boyd; Gibson, George Barton; Griffin, Charles Robert; Halahan, Robert Michael; Hearne, James Philip Peter; Hill, Louis Parkinson; Hinchcliff, Hannah Erica; Hole, William George; Holland, Edward Kennedy; Jackson, Aubrey Robert Best; Jacobson, Archie Maurice; Lambert, Charles Gordon; Love, Robert Grattan; McCall, Samuel Woods; McClelland, Margaret Elizabeth; McKiernan, Arnold Thomas; Martin, Wilfred Bruce; Mills, Leslie Thomas Harper; Morgan, William Erskine; Moriarty, Mary Dorothy; Neill, Erberto Mahon; O'Clery, Dermot; Lanigan-O'Keeffe, Francis Martin; Oswald, Noel Alexander; Pearce, Jameson Akintola; Pollock, Thomas George Holland; Prince, Gordon Stewart; Pringle, Alexander William; Reid, Esther Alexandra; Rooke, William Warburton Lloyd; Saseybon, Ayodele Oladipo; Sealy, James Richard Geoghegan; Sharpe, Horace Reginald Harold; Shier, Frederick George; Smith, Noel Lewis; Smyth, Meredith George Jackson; Solomons, Bethel Eric Robert; Spiller, George Searles; Stewart, Victor Oswald; Taylor, George William; Wallace, Francis; Whiteside, Eric; Williams, John Francis Oliver; Wolfe, William John Wood; Wood, John Stuart; Yarr, Brian Joseph.

Senior Sophister Term Examination.

The following candidates have passed:—Crozier, John Derek; Logan, William; McClure, Andrew Morrow; McClure, Mary Wales; Richards-Orpen, Charmian Dorcas; Porter, Horace Desmond; Stewart, James Bingham; Thompson, Irene Mary.

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# CONYNGHAM CUP DAY AT PUNCHESTOWN

## PONTET FANCIED FOR CHIEF EVENT

### *Seven Races in Programme for Concluding Stage*

THE Conyngham Cup is the chief event on the second day's card at Punchestown, but there are many other very attractive races in the programme, which, on this occasion, is made up of seven, instead of the usual six, events.

Sixteen runners have been declared for the Conyngham Cup, but, as several of these ran yesterday, they may not be saddled a second

**Tote Double on Fourth and Sixth Races.**

time. Mr. C. Brabazon, the Curragh trainer, holds a strong hand with Pontet, a previous winner of the race, and Ballyhooley, a winner of the Ulster Grand National. Pontet has been running consistently well for a long time, but was generally hampered by heavy imposts, and to-day seems to hold a stronger chance than for a long time past. My Branch, Russ and Lough Cottage will be dangerous rivals, but

**PONTET**

is named as the likely winner. Selections:—
Bishopscourt Cup—**Rathcoffey.**
Downshire Plate—**Corn Prince.**
La Touche Plate—**Slacker.**
Conyngham Cup—**Pontet.**
Ladies' Cup—**Belgrade.**
Kildare Hunt Plate—**Mollison's Moth.**
Sallins Plate—**Spirit Level.**

**TOTE DOUBLE:**

**Pontet and Mollison's Moth.**

**1.45—THE BISHOPSCOURT CUP,** value 100 guineas, with 150 sovs. added. Second 25 sovs., third 15 sovs., fourth 10 sovs. Weight for age steeplechase.
**About three miles over the "Old Course."** Age st. lb.
HURRY HOME II. (Mr. C. Balding) Owner a 12 5
SIR BOSS (Mrs. A. Martin)......Martin a 12 5
RATHCOFFEY (Mr. P. J. Coonan) Owner a 12 5
BURTOWN CROSS (Mr. P. Dunny) Sleator jun. 6 12 5
STEVE II. (Mr. G. E. Price)...Price a 12 5
FELIX II. (Mr. Jas. Valentine) Owner a 12 5
MAJESTER (Mr. M. J. Fanning) Owner a 12 5
NEW HALL II. (Mr. T. N. Flood) Owner a 12 5
BUBBLE ON (Mr. T. Derney)...Owner a 12 5
PUCKA MAN (Mr. J. A. Mangan) Owner 4 10 5
SUNNY ROE (Mr. P. J. Nugent) Owner 4 10 5

LAST YEAR'S PLACINGS.
Mr. C. Balding's MAN OF ARRAN II., a, 12-5 T. Hyde 1
Mr. C. J. McKenna's MARY YOUNG, 4, 10-5 M. C. Prendergast 2
Mrs. A. Martin's SIR BOSS, a, 12-5 T. S. Doyle 3
11 ran. Winner trained by P. Sleator, junior. Betting—3/2, 5/2, 20/1.

**Above are declared runners.**

00 SIR BOSS. Unplaced with 12-2 to Corn Prince (12-7) Fairyhouse (3m. 'chase).
02 RATHCOFFEY. Carried 11-12 when beaten 2l. by Radio Wave (11-12) Fairyhouse (2½m. 'chase).
**Point-to-Point Winners**—Rathcoffey (Ward Union, March 4, North Kildare April 1, Kildare Hunt April 12), Steve II. (South County Dublin February 28), Bubble On (Naas Harriers March 9).

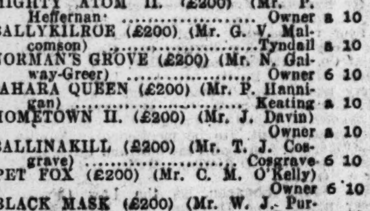
**2.20—DOWNSHIRE PLATE** of 400 sovs. Second 60 sovs., third 40 sovs. The fourth 15 sovs. from the Fund. Weight for age steeplechase.
**About three miles and a quarter over the "Downshire Course."** Age st. lb.
CORN PRINCE (£200) (Mrs. Spencer Freeman) Osborne 6 12 1
SEATOI (£300) (Mr. A. P. Harris) Owner 5 11 6
DUCHESS II. (£200) (Mr. M. Foley) Owner a 10 10
HOUYHNHUM (£200) (Mr. W. O'Callaghan) Owner 5 10 13
ALICE PINKTHORNE (£200) (Capt. H. de Burgh) Osborne 5 10 13
CLARE DUST (£200) (Mr. E. Vaughan) Owner 5 10 13
LOMOND PRINCESS (£200) (Mr. J. Sharp) T. Hyde 5 10 13
MOUNT BROWN (£200) (Mr. T. McD. Kelly) Owner 5 10 13
DUSKY PIPER (£200) (Mr. J. J. W. Aherne) Owner a 10 10
BARN D'OR (£200) (Mr. Jas. Barry) Owner a 10 10
CLONEYBEACON LASS (£200) (Mr. J. Brennan) O'Donnell a 10 10
DUSKY DAN (£200) (Mr. P. A. Carroll) Owner a 10 10
ARDRAHAN (£200) (Mr. P. J. Casey) O'Rourke 6 10 10
LOST HORIZON (£200) (Mr. C. Cosgrave) Owner a 10 10
MAIEEN (£200) (Mr. G. A. Harris) Owner a 10 10
MIGHTY ATOM II. (£200) (Mr. P. Heffernan) Owner a 10 10
BALLYKILROE (£200) (Mr. G. V. Malcomson) Tyndall a 10 10
NORMAN'S GROVE (£200) (Mr. N. Galway-Greer) Owner 6 10 10
SAHARA QUEEN (£200) (Mr. P. Hannigan) Keating a 10 10
HOMETOWN II. (£200) (Mr. J. Davin) Owner a 10 10
BALLINAKILL (£200) (Mr. T. J. Cosgrave) Cosgrave 6 10 10
PET FOX (£200) (Mr. C. M. O'Kelly) Owner 6 10 10
BLACK MASK (£200) (Mr. W. J. Purcell) Owner a 10 10
HOMELAND (£200) (Mr. H. Quinn) Owner a 10 10
NO REGRETS (£200) (Mr. C. A. Rogers) Owner a 10 10
JOSEPHINE'S PET (£200) (Mr. T. F. Ryan) Owner a 10 10
BLUE COTTAGE (£200) (Mr. John O'Keeffe) Owner a 10 10
ON LEAVE (£200) (Mrs. K. Coonan) Coonan 4 10 0

LAST YEAR'S PLACINGS.
Mr. J. J. O'Donnell's SPRIG OF HEATHER, 5, 10-13 ...Mr. A. S. O'Donnell 1
Miss E. Dwane's EASTER JOY, a, 11-3 Mr. T. Moloney 2
Mr. C. G. McKenna's PEACE, 6, 10-12...Owner 3
28 ran. Winner trained by Owner. Betting—6/1, 10/1, 20/1.

**Above are declared runners.**

1 CORN PRINCE. Carried 12-7 when winning 3l., 4l. from Frisco Kid (12-0) and Danny Boy (12-2) Fairyhouse (3m. 'chase).
00 DUSKY PIPER. Unplaced with 11-12 to Soldenno (12-12) Junction May (2m. 100yds. 'chase).
04 MIGHTY ATOM II. Carried 9-4 when fourth of 7 to Shrarmore (10-7) Gowran Park June (2½m. 'chase).
0 NORMAN'S GROVE. Unplaced with 12-7 to Kerimetiya (12-7) Fairyhouse (3m. 2f. 'chase).
00 BLACK MASK. Unplaced with 11-8 to Ah Well (11-9) Naas March 30 (3m. 76yds. 'chase).
40 HOMELAND. Carried 12-3 when fifth of 10 to Serenade II. (12-3) Gowran Park June (3½m. 'chase). Carried 10-12 when fourth of 10 to Galtee (10-10) Junction May (2m. 100yds. 'chase).
**Point-to-Point Winners**—Corn Prince (Naas Harriers March 9), Seatoi (United Hunt March 13), Duchess II. (Mount Loftus March 7, Coollattin April 17), Clare Dust (Cappoquin February 15, United Hunt February 28, Derrygallon March 30), Lomond Princess (United Hunt March 13), Cloneybeacon Lass (Kilmoganny April 2, Coollattin April 17), Dusky Dan (Bruff February 29), Hometown (Derrygallon March 30, Muskerry April 13), Ballinakill (North Kildare April 1), Pet Fox (North Kildare April 1), Josephine's Pet (County Limerick April 4), Blue Cottage (United Hunt March 6, Duhallow April 10).


**TOTE TO-DAY**



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OF THOROUGHBRED YEARLINGS
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**3.0—LA TOUCHE MEMORIAL CUP,** a perpetual Challenge Cup, with 500 sovs. added. Second 75 sovs., third 50 sovs. Weight for age steeplechase for horses the property of members of, or subscribers of not less than 3 sovs. to any established pack of Foxhounds, Staghounds or Harriers in Great Britain or Ireland. Certain exclusions.
**About four miles and a quarter over the "Old National Hunt Cup Course."** Age st. lb.
LOCH NEAGH (Mr. Jas. Barry)...Owner a 12 7
BLACK SHIRT (Mr. J. G. Conway) Owner a 12 7
BILLY D. (Mr. Walter Dwyer).......Owner 6 12 7
PRINCE TOZZI (Capt. Spencer Freeman) Osborne a 12 7
THE FAIRYMAN (Mr. J. McClintock) Owner a 12 7
JUST GREY JANE (Mr. E. D. K. Mathews) ......Owner a 12 7
GILT EDGE (Mr. C. Odlum)......Osborne a 12 7
GOLDEN IVY (Mr. P. J. O'Hagan) F. Ward a 13 7
SLACKER (Mr. J. V. Rank)...Fetherston 6 12 7
JANE MOORE (Mr. J. J. Ryan)...Owner a 13 7
DIMLIGHT (Mr. N. Shee)......Owner a 12 7
NEWPARK (Mr. R. C. Sherlock)...Owner a 12 7
LISMOHER (Mr. H. J. Kirwan)...Owner a 12 7
SAINT WILLIAM (Lt.-Col. R. L. Galloway) ......Osborne 6 12 7
MY LAD (Lt.-Col. C. Grattan-Bellew) Owner a 12 7
FRISCO KID (Mr. T. J. Taaffe)...Owner 5 12 0

LAST YEAR'S PLACINGS.
Mr. J. McEnery's LA POLITESSE, a, 12-7 Mr. J. McClintock 1
Mr. J. J. Ryan's JANE MOORE, a, 12-2 Mr. P. O'Dwyer 2
Mr. D. D. Williams's CAVIARE II., a, 12-7 Mr. A. P. Harris 3
17 ran. Winner trained by Owner. Betting—4/1, 100/8, 6/1.

**Above are declared runners.**

0 LOCH NEAGH. Carried 12-0 when sixth of 14 to Viburnum (11-10), Mallow, March (2 m. 5 f. flat).
02 JUST GREY JANE. Carried 12-3 when beaten 10 l. by Kirimetiya (12-7), Fairyhouse (3 m. 2 f., 'chase).
0 LISMOHER. Unplaced with 12-4 to Miss Dee (11-13), Navan, April (3 m., 'chase).
**Point-to-Point Winners**—Loch Neagh (Duhallow, April 10), Black Shirt (Scarteen, March 7; Bruff, Feb. 29; Co. Limerick, April 4), Billy D (United Hunt, Feb. 28), Golden Ivy (Ballymacad, Feb. 21), Slacker (Fingal Harriers, March 11; Kilcormac, April 3), Jane Moore (Co. Limerick, April 15), Dimlight (Tipperary Hunt, March 27), Newpark (Tallow, Jan. 31; Avondhu, March 27; Kilworth, April 3), Lismoher (Meath Hunt, Roscommon), Saint William (Co. Limerick Hunt, April 15), Frisco Kid (South Co. Dublin, Feb. 28).

**3.40—THE CONYNGHAM CUP** of 1,000 sovs. (including a cup value 150 sovs.). Second £127 10/-, third £85. A open handicap steeplechase.
**About four miles over the "Conyngham Cup Course."** Age st. lb.
PONTET (Mr. G. V. Malcomson) Brabazon a 11 9
MY BRANCH (Mrs. N. J. Kelly) Dreaper a 11 6
RUSS (Mr. M. C. Collins) ......Owner 6 11 2
SPRIG OF HEATHER (Mr. R. M. Fyffe) O'Donnell 6 11 0
BALLYHOOLEY (Mr. R. Sheehan) Brabazon a 10 11
LOUGH COTTAGE (Mrs. S. B. Creagh) Osborne a 10 11
ST. MULLINS (Mr. M. Rowlette) Rowlette a 10 8
BAYKORA (Miss M. Wallace) ...Wallace a 9 13
THE LAMB III. (Mr. J. V. Rank) Fetherston a 9 12
GREEN RUSHES (Mr. M. A. Joyce) Owner a 9 12
GOLDEN IVY (Mr. P. J. O'Hagan) F. Ward a 9 7
MACIDAS (Mr. H. C. Bourke) ...Boland a 9 7
PATRICIA II. (Mrs. E. McCormick) Williams a 9 7
ST. DONAVINT (Mr. R. Shanahan) Fitzgerald a 9 7
IVY OF RHEIMS (Mr. Desmond O'Hagan) F. Ward a 9 7
EMBLAMORE (Mrs. P. Goodbody) Private a 9 7

30 PONTET. Carried 11-12 when sixth of 14 to Jack Chaucer (11-11) Fairyhouse (3½m. 'chase). Ballyhooley (11-1) was eighth, Baykora (9-13) fell. Carried 11-3 when beaten ¾l., 1½l., by Royal Danieli (12-7) and Yeoman (9-7) Baldoyle March (3m. 'chase).
00 MY BRANCH. Unplaced with 11-6 to Le Gygne (10-4) Leopardstown Nov. (3m. 100yds. 'chase).
01 RUSS. Carried 11-0 when winning 8l. from Glass Court (9-13) Baldoyle March (2m. 2f. 'chase). Fell at Navan Feb. ('chase). Won 2m. flat Limerick May. Carried 11-0 when winning 6l., 4l., from Serenade II. (11-0) and Greek Minstrel (11-5) Punchestown, 1939 (4m. 'chase).
00 SPRIG OF HEATHER. Unplaced with 12-7 to Upshot (11-3) Tramore March (3m. 'chase). See Lough Cottage. Carried 9-13 when winning 4l., 6l., from Easter Joy (11-3) and Peace (10-12) Punchestown, 1939 (3m. 2f. 'chase).
02 BALLYHOOLEY. Carried 11-11 when beaten ¾l. by Swindon Glory (11-2), with Ivy of Rheims (9-12) 20l. behind, Navan April (3m. 'chase). See Pontet. Carried 12-7 when beaten 6l. by Donaskeigh (10-12) Limerick March (3m. 'chase). The Lamb III. (10-10) was fifth and St. Donavint (10-7) sixth of 8.
40 LOUGH COTTAGE. See Green Rushes. Carried 11-12 when fourth of 13 to General Chiang (9-12) Baldoyle Feb. (3m. 'chase). Sprig of Heather (11-5) was unplaced.
00 TUCKMILL. Carried 10-3 when 17th and last to finish to Bogskar (10-4) Liverpool April (4m. 856yds. 'chase).
10 ST. MULLINS. Carried 12-7 when, with Home Industries (10-8) unplaced to Upshot (12-0) Sligo April (3m. 'chase). Carried 10-0 when winning 4l., same, from Centre Party (9-2) and Bistro (10-6) Fairyhouse (2m. 2f. 'chase).
01 CLONHUGH. Carried 10-8 when winning 4l., 6l. from Brown Joker (9-12) and Ivy of Rheims (10-6) Louth Hunt March (2m. 7f. 'chase).
00 BAYKORA. See Golden Ivy, Pontet and Green Rushes.
03 THE LAMB III. See Home Industries and Ballyhooley.
31 GREEN RUSHES. Carried 9-7 when winning head, 1l. from Birthgift (10-4) and Baykora (9-13), with Lough Cottage (10-9) sixth of 14, Naas March 2 (3m. 76yds. 'chase). Carried 10-0 when beaten neck, 1l. by General Chiang (10-9) and Birthgift (11-1) Naas Feb. (3m. 76yds. 'chase). Lough Cottage (12-4) was fourth of 11 and Baykora (11-4) behind.
02 GOLDEN IVY. Carried 11-5 when beaten 2l. by Greek Minstrel (11-5) yesterday (4m. 'chase). Baykora (11-5) was unplaced. Fell at Fairyhouse. Carried 11-8 when winning 15l., neck from Macidas (12-0) and Leopard Prince (11-11) Louth Hunt March (3m. 2f. 'chase).
13 MACIDAS. Carried 12-1 when beaten 4l., same by Dan Kelly (11-4) and Mountain Fawn (11-7) yesterday (3m. 'chase). Carried 11-10 when winning 50l., 4l. from The Hiker II. (11-5) and Patricia II. (12-1) Sligo April (3m. 'chase). See Golden Ivy.
03 PATRICIA II. See Macidas.
00 ST. DONAVINT. See Ballyhooley.
33 IVY OF RHEIMS. See Ballyhooley and Clonhugh.
1 EMBLAMORE. Carried 13-1 when winning 10l., bad, from Golden Griffin (12-5) and Champion II. (12-5) Punchestown, 1939 (4m. 'chase).
**Last Year**—Donohill carried 10-5 when winning 4l., 4l. from Clare County (11-11) and Ivy of Rheims (9-7). Ballyhooley (10-4) was sixth of 10 and Patricia II. (10-0) behind. The Lamb III. (10-2) did not complete the course.

LAST YEAR'S PLACINGS.
Mrs. A. Simmon's DONOHILL, 6, 10-5 M. C. Prendergast 1
Mrs. P. Kiely's CLARE COUNTY, a, 11-11 T. Hyde 2
Mr. D. O'Hagan's IVY OF RHEIMS, a, 9-7 P. J. Murphy 3
10 ran. Winner trained by J. W. Osborne. Betting—3/1, 5/1, 8/1.

**4.20—THE LADIES' CUP,** value 100 sovs., with 200 sovs. added. Second 30 sovs., third 20 sovs. Weight for age steeplechase for certain horses.
**Three miles over the "National Hunt Cup Course."** Age st. lb.
BELGRADE (Miss M. C. Ennis)...Ennis 5 12 7
CHATTIS HILL (Miss H. Ball) Osborne a 12 3
CARAWAY SEED (Miss C. C. Clements) Private 6 12 3
ST. MARTIN (Miss M. O. Mathieson) Private a 12 3
PATSY POPALONG (Miss Dorothy P. Reynolds) Osborne a 12 3
BALMY KNIGHT (Mrs. T. Riordan) Private a 12 3
NILISAGAM (Miss A. D. Sealy)...Private a 12 3
PARK KNIGHT (Miss P. Stokes) Private a 12 3
PURE IRISH (Mrs. Andrew Knowles) Knowles a 12 3
GLENIDOL (Mrs. J. Lombard) Lombard a 12 3
PRINCE ROWLAND (Miss M. McCutcheon) Private 6 12 3
NATIONAL LAD (Hon. Mrs. E. Massy) Osborne 5 12 7

LAST YEAR'S PLACINGS.
Mrs. R. Galloway's MY CONSUL, 6, 11-12 Mr. F. Fitzsimons 1
Mrs. N. L. Rowlette's KNIGHT OF GLYN, a, 12-3 Mr. A. L. Moore 2
Mrs. J. Bamber's PRINCE CHICK, a, 11-12 Mr. J. Bamber 3
14 ran. Winner trained by R. Fetherston. Betting—10/1, 3/1, 7/1.

1 BELGRADE. Carried 11-12 when winning neck, 4l. from Ramona II. (12-8) and Quickilie (12-8), Fairyhouse, March (3 m. 'chase).
4 ST. MARTIN. Carried 11-12 when fourth of 12 to Angeston (11-12), Leopardstown, April (3 m. flat).
20 GLENIDOL. Unplaced with 12-0 to Alias au Diable (11-7), Sligo, April (2 m. hurdles). Carried 12-7 when beaten 50l. by Gold Mirror (12-7), Rathkeale, March (2½ m. 'chase).
**Point-to-Point Winners** — Belgrade (Fingal Harriers, March 11), Chattis Hill (Kildare Hunt, April 12), Patsy Popalong (South Co. Dublin, Feb. 28), Balmy Knight (Cappoquin, Feb. 15), Nilisagam (Kildare Hunt, April 12), Park Knight (Mount Loftus, March 7), Glenidol (Monkstown, April 17), Prince Rowland (North Kildare, April 1), National Lad (Naas Harriers, March 9; Kildare Hunt, April 12).

**5.0—KILDARE HUNT PLATE** of 300 sovs. Second 45 sovs., third 30 sovs. An open handicap steeplechase.
**About three miles over the "Old Course."** Age st. lb.
MY CONSUL (Mrs. R. Galloway (in. 5lb. ex.) ..........Fetherston a 11
MACIDAS (Mr. H. C. Bourke (in. 5lb. ex.) ..........Owner a 10 6
CRICKSTOWN (Mr. T. W. Dreaper) Owner 6 10 5
CENTRE PARTY (Mr. C. Cosgrave) Owner a 10 5
GRANGE CROSS (Mr. P. J. O'Meara) E. T. O'Meara a 10 1
BALLINAKILL (Mr. T. J. Cosgrave) Cosgrave 6 10 1
MOLLISON'S MOTH (Mr. J. H. Hughes) Morrow a 10 1
ROSEMARY'S COTTAGE (Mr. J. G. Duggan) ..........M. P. Barry a 10 1
SPIRIT LEVEL (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner a 10 1
BROWN JOKER (Mr. G. Carr Lett) Ruttle a 10 0
IRISH BLARNEY (Mr. H. O'Leary) C. A. Rogers a 10 0
ST. DONAVINT (Mr. R. Shanahan) Owner a 10 0
DOUBLE FRENCH (Mr. R. Curran) Owner a 10 0
HOME INDUSTRIES (Mr. C. J. O'Brien) H. Harty a 10 0
MAY ESSEX (Mr. P. Connolly).....Owner a 10 0

LAST YEAR'S PLACINGS.
Mr. P. Dunne Cullinan's VESUVIAN, a, 11-0 J. Moloney 1
Mr. R. Murphy's GREY QUILL, 6, 10-7 D. Ruttle 2
Mr. C. J. O'Brien's HOME INDUSTRIES, a, 9-9 Mr. T. Moloney 3
15 ran. Winner trained by M. Arnott. Betting—8/1, 20/1, 20/1.

**5.40—THE SALLINS PLATE** of 200 sovs. (being 100 sovs. presented by the Government of Ireland, and 100 sovs. of the percentage received from the Totalisator Board). Winner 75 per cent., second 15 per cent., third 10 per cent. of the total value of the race, including entrance and acceptance fees. An open handicap steeplechase for Irish-trained horses.
**Last two miles of the "Old National Hunt Cup Course."** Age st. lb.
PHANTOM III. (Capt. R. A. Cramsie) Brabazon a 12 7
GLEEFUL (Mrs. K. Coonan)......Coonan 6 12 0
FEW WORDS (Mrs. M. Gore Ormsby) P. Prendergast 5 11 7
CHIEF COUNT (Mr. G. J. Byrne) Ruttle a 11 2
BISTRO (Lady Brooke)..............Arnott a 10 2
THE CARD (Mr. C. J. O'Brien) H. Harty a 10 1
ROCKVALE BRIDGE (Mr. M. J. Fanning) ..........Owner a 10 0
ALTISSIMO (7lb. ex.) (Mr. L. T. Byrne) Owner a 10 0
GLENMALURE (Mr. P. J. Casey) (in. 7lb. ex.) ..........O'Rourke a 10 0
SINGARTI (Mrs. J. McClintock)...Owner 6 9 12
LADY ORNA (Mr. Jos. McDonald) Osborne 6 9 12
MOUNTAIN FAWN (Mr. P. J. Nugent) Nugent 6 9 10
HEARTY WELCOME (Mr. D. F. Coonan) J. Burke 6 9 9
SPIRIT LEVEL (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner a 9 8
MYLES THE SLASHER (Mr. E. Coffey) J. W. Cleary a 9 7
MINSTREL BOY (Miss M. Gaisford St. Lawrence) ..........Arnott a 9 7
OPTICIEN II. (Mr. T P. Frost)...Owner a 9 7
MARLFIELD (Mr. Jack Bamber) Owner a 9 7
POETRY II. (Miss M. Preston)...Purdon a 9 7
IRISH HOLLOA (Mr. Nelson Dixon) Creed a 9 7
SHERIFF (Mrs. D. H. Wood-Martin) Browne a 9 7

*PUNCHESTOWN—YESTERDAY*

## HONOURS GO TO SOUTH

### *Dan Kelly and Greek Minstrel Score for Munster Owners*

THE opening day of the Punchestown meeting lived well up to reputation for providing sport of an exciting character, and, if the attendance was not quite up to that seen at some of the meetings in the past, it was a splendid and appreciative crowd. The chief honours fell to the South of Ireland; for the Punchestown Cup was won by a Tipperary-owned horse, Mr. G. A. Harris's Dan Kelly, ridden by Mr. N. D. Mahony, of County Cork. The latter then proceeded to win the Maiden Plate of 1,000 sovs. with his own horse, Greek Minstrel, a son of Greek Bachelor and Ardgo, who was ridden by another County Cork man, T. Hyde, who steered Workman to victory in last year's Grand National. Though only two actual favourites scored during the afternoon, the majority of the winners were well supported, and there was only one instance of the success of a rank outsider.

**AN OUTSIDER SCORES**

As usual, the Tickell Challenge Cup opened the racing, and of the field of fourteen runners five were well fancied. Land of Peace and On Leave, the joint favourites, at one stage looked like contesting the finish, but both were worn down in the straight by the outsider, Baldonnel, owned by Mr. Joseph McDonald, of Naas. P. J. Murphy, who rode the winner, had to overcome the difficulty of having lost an iron at the last fence, but for which he would have had a much easier victory. The winner's dividend on the totalisator was £6 1s. for an outlay of 2s.

The Kildare Hunt Cup, a trophy much coveted by hunting men in the Kildare country, on this occasion attracted a field of seven runners, but when about half the long journey had been covered the race was reduced to the dimensions of a three-horse affair. Captain Spencer Freeman's Prince Tozzi at this stage looked to have the race won, but after disposing of Don Roti a mile from home he then had to contend with a determined challenge from the Hon. Mr. E. Massy's National Lad, who, despite a mistake at the second last fence, came on full of running to readily land the spoils. Only the three placed horses finished the course, and all hail from Mr. J. W. Osborne's stable, while the two Southern amateurs, Mr. H. Harty and Mr. T. Molony, were the riders concerned in the finish.

Knockadroleen had conditions much to his liking when opposing ten others for the Prince of Wales's Plate, and the only doubt about his ability to win was that the distance might not be long enough for him. Making the pace from the start, he held a long lead until approaching the wall, when The Card, coming through from the rear, raced clear away from him and all the others, only to just as quickly compound a couple of jumps further on, leaving Radio Wave in command, but Knockadroleen, tackling the latter again, scored an easy win.

**A JOCKEY'S DOUBLE**

Dan Kelly was always in a prominent position in the big field for the Punchestown Cup, and, after getting the measure of Mountain Fawn at the last fence, was never afterwards troubled. Greek Minstrel, too, always had his supporters on good terms with themselves in the race for the Maiden Plate, and, after indulging Golden Ivy with the lead over the last fence, drew away to win in easy style.

P. J. Murphy, who steered home Baldonnel to victory in the opening race, completed a double when winning on Mr. E. Beattie's Ballyboe in the Drogheda Plate, the latter's success also completing a double event for R. Fetherstonhaugh as trainer.

The catering was carried out by Mrs. Lawlor and Sons, Naas.

## DETAILS OF THE RACING

**1.45—TICKELL CHALLENGE CUP,** value 100 sovs. (presented by Lieutenant-Colonel Tickell, D.S.O.), with 150 sovs. added. Second 25 sovs., third 15 sovs., fourth 10 sovs. A selling steeplechase. 2 m.
Mr. Joseph McDonald's b. g. BALDONNEL, by Alien Prince—Sparkling, a, 12-10 P. J. Murphy 1
Mr. E. Timmins's LAND OF PEACE, 5, 11-5 J. Brogan 2
Mrs. K. Coonan's ON LEAVE 4, 10-5 D. L. Moore 3
Mr. J. A. Mangan's Coolelagh, a, 11-12 Mr. F. Fitzsimons 0
Mr. A. Wilson's Jocks, a, 12-3............J. Barrett 0
Mr. T. J. Cosgrave's Ballinakill, 6, 11-7 Mr. W. Bye 0
Mr. Joseph Masterson's Eager Liz, 5, 11-12 J. C. Parkinson 0
Mr. A. L. Dempsey's Flavoured Cherry, 6, 11-10 M. Gordon 0
Mr. W. P. Bourke's Angelina, 6, 11-10 R. McCarthy 0
Mr. M. J. Fanning's Majester, a, 11-0..T. Reeves 0
Mr. P. Sleator's Grace's Cross 5, 11-5 W. O'Grady 0
Mr. Joseph Maher's Black Wood Cross, 4, 11-5 D. Connors 0
Mr. J. R. Jackson's Silver Vixen, 4, 10-12 J. Fitzgerald 0
Mr. A. McCormick's Marie Celeste, 4, 9-9..Owner 0
(Winner trained by Owner.)
Betting—7 to 2 each agst. On Leave and Land of Peace, 5 to 1 Eager Liz, 7 to 1 Grace's Cross, 8 to 1 Silver Vixen, 10 to 1 Coolelagh, 20 to 1 BALDONNEL or any other.
Tote (2/-)—Win, £6 1/-; places, 18/-, 4/6, 4/-.
Won by half a length; three-quarters of a length. Angelina was fourth, Eager Liz fifth, Black Wood Cross sixth, Flavoured Cherry seventh, and Ballinakill eighth. Time—4 mins. 19 secs.
There was no bid for the winner.

**2.20—KILDARE HUNT CUP,** value 25 sovs., with 100 sovs. added. Second 20 sovs., third 10 sovs. A weight for age steeplechase. About 4 m.
Hon. Mrs. E. Massy's gr. g. NATIONAL LAD, by Lansdowne—Nationality, 5, 12-0 Mr. H. Harty 1
Captain Spencer-Freeman's PRINCE TOZZI, a, 12-8 Mr. T. Moloney 2
Miss R. Mansfield's DON ROTI, a, 13-10 Mr. J. McClintock 3
Captain H. de Burgh's The Lamb II., a, 12-3 Mr. J. de Burgh 0
Miss C. C. Clements's Caraway Seed, 6, 12-6 Mr. A. P. Harris 0
Mr. N. W. Waddington's Mowberry, a, 12-3 Owner 0
Major Baron de Robeck's Mr. X. L., a, 12-8 Mr. A. Reynolds 0
(Winner trained by J. W. Osborne.)
Betting—11 to 10 agst. Prince Tozzi, 5 to 2 NATIONAL LAD, 7 to 1 each Don Roti and Mr. X. L., 10 to 1 any other.
Tote (2/-)—Win, 7/-; places, 3/6, 3/6.
Won by eight lengths; two lengths. Only three finished. Time—10 mins. 9 1-5 secs.

**3.0—PRINCE OF WALES PLATE** of 500 sovs. Second 75 sovs., third 50 sovs. An open handicap steeplechase. About 2½ m.
Miss B. Kearns's br. g. KNOCKADROLEEN, by Ceylonese—Mary Long, a, 12-0 Mr. W. Willis 1
Mr. L. T. Byrne's RADIO WAVE, a, 11-5 D. L. Moore 2
Mr. G. Pilsworth's BOONARA, a, 10-12 W. O'Grady 3
Mrs. R. Galloway's My Consul, a, 11-0...T. Hyde 0
Mr. J. A. Mangan's Swindon Lad, a, 10-13 Mr. T. Molony 0
Lady Brooke's Bistro, a, 10-10..........J. Brogan 0
Mr. C. J. O'Brien's The Card, a, 10-9...J. Foley 0
Mr. T. W. Barry's Dundrin, a, 10-8...Sir H. Goff 0
Miss M. Preston's Poetry II., a, 10-3 R. J. Kennedy 0
Mrs. D. H. Wood-Martin's Sheriff, a, 10-3 P. J. Murphy 0
(Winner trained by J. Kearns.)
Betting—9 to 4 agst. My Consul, 4 to 1 KNOCKADROLEEN, 5 to 1 Dundrin, 6 to 1 each Boonara and Radio Wave, 8 to 1 Bistro, 100 to 8 any other.
Tote (2/-)—Win, 10/-; places, 4/6, 7/6, 5/6.
Knockadroleen went on with a long lead of Poetry II., Sheriff, Swindon Lad, Radio Wave and The Card. At the Wall The Card took the lead, but Knockadroleen, challenging close home, headed Radio Wave to win by four lengths; three lengths off Boonara was third. Swindon Lad fourth, Poetry II. fifth, The Card sixth. Time—5 mins. 21 1-5 secs.

**3.40—PUNCHESTOWN CUP,** value 200 sovs., with 200 sovs. added. Second 30 sovs., third 20 sovs. A weight for age steeplechase. 3 m.
Mr. G. A. Harris's DAN KELLY, by Fairway—Celtic Rose, 5, 11-4......Mr. N. D. Mahony 1
Mr. P. J. Nugent's MOUNTAIN FAWN, 6, 11-7 Mr. T. Molony 2
Mr. H. C. Bourke's MACIDAS, a, 12-1 Mr. F. Boland 3
Mr. J. P. Herdman's The Slasher, a, 12-6 Sir H. Goff 0
Mr. J. K. Cooper's Vulgarity, a, 11-9 Mr. J. H. K. Cooper 0
Miss H. Ball's Chattis Hill, a, 11-7 Mr. A. N. Reynolds 0
Mr. J. Davin's Hometown II., a, 11-4 Mr. J. O'Leary 0
Capt. H. de Burgh's Lansdowne Princess, 5, 11-3 Mr. R. Lowenstein 0
Mr. R. I. Hanbury's Ramona II., a, 11-6 Mr. W. Bye 0
Mr. P. J. Kavanagh's Leopard Prince, a, 11-7 Mr. W. Willis 0
Mr. W. J. Kavanagh's Drimple, 6, 11-6 Mr. J. Nuttall 0
Mr. V. McCalmont's Noble Man, 6, 11-4 Mr. J. McClintock 0
Mrs. E. McCormick's Loveknot, 6, 11-7 Mr. C. Mitchell 0
Mr. G. St. John Nolan's Golden Goblet, 6, 11-2 Mr. F. Fitzsimons 0
Mr. P. D. O'Brien's Achara, a, 11-2 Mr. P. Sheehan 0
Mr. J. Rowlette's Bachelor's Charm, a, 11-7 Owner 0
Mr. Jas. Russell's Royal Chevalier, a, 11-2 Owner 0
Mr. N. P. B. Smyth's Bright Omen, a, 11-2 Mr. D. J. Smyth 0
Mr. J. Brennan's Cloneybeacon Lass, a, 11-2 Mr. A. S. O'Donnell 0
Mr. T. H. Kellett's Dappled Peach, 5, 11-3 (car. 11-8) ..........Mr. J. Litton 0
Mr. T. J. Taaffe's Frisco Kid, 5, 11-3 Mr. J. Woods 0
Mr. E. Vaughan's Clare Dust, 5, 10-12 Mr. T. Bennett 0
(Winner trained by Owner.)
Betting—3 to 1 agst. DAN KELLY, 5 to 1 Chattis Hill, 6 to 1 each Mountain Fawn and Frisco Kid, 7 to 1 Macidas, 100 to 8 any other.
Tote (2/-)—Win, 6/-; places, 4/-, 5/6, 12/-.
Won by four lengths; same. Leopard Prince fourth, Frisco Kid fifth, Ramona II. sixth, Clare Dust seventh, Chattis Hill eighth. Time 6 mins. 25 secs.

**4.20—MAIDEN PLATE** of 1,000 sovs. Second 150 sovs., third 100 sovs. A weight for age steeplechase. 4 m.
Mr. N. D. Mahony's b. g. GREEK MINSTREL, by Greek Bachelor—Ardgo, a, 11-5 T. Hyde 1
Mr. P. J. O'Hagan's GOLDEN IVY, a, 11-5 D. L. Moore 2
Miss P. Stokes's PARK KNIGHT, a, 11-5 P. J. Cahalin 3
Mr. J. J. Ryan's Jane Moore, a, 11-5 Mr. P. Dwyer 0
Mrs. W. Bland's Pancake, 6, 11-5 J. C. Parkinson 0
Mr. Peter Connolly's May Essex, a, 11-0 Owner 0
Capt. G. F. Dunne's Eyesight, a, 11-5 Mr. T. Molony 0
Mr. J. P. Hogan's Rare to Find, 6, 11-0 Mr. P. Hogan 0
Mr. J. Loughnane's Fairy Pairc, 6, 11-0 Mr. D. Loughnane 0
Mr. R. C. Sherlock's Newpark, a, 11-0...Owner 0
Mr. H. M. Thompson's Bautsho, a, 11-5 R. McCarthy 0
Miss M. Wallace's Baykora, a, 11-5 Mr. J. J. Marshall 0
Mrs. T. A. Riordan's Balmy Knight, a, 11-5 R. J. Kennedy 0
Mr. John McEnery's Ketchup, a, 11-5 P. J. Murphy 0
Mr. C. Odlum's Gilt Edge, a, 11-5 M. C. Prendergast 0
Mr. J. O'Sullivan's Woodranger, a, 11-5 M. Regan 0
Mr. T. F. Ryan's Josephine's Pet, a, 11-0 Mr. J. G. Conway 0
Mr. W. E. Wylie's Bayadere, a, 11-5 Mr. A. Reynolds 0
Capt. H. de Burgh's Alice Pinkthorne, 5, 10-9 E. O'Connor 0
Mr. J. Kearns's (jun.) Just Reward, 5, 11-0 J. Fitzgerald 0
(Winner trained by R. Fetherstonhaugh.)
Betting—2 to 1 agst. GREEK MINSTREL, 3 to 1 Baykora, 4 to 1 Golden Ivy, 10 to 1 each Eyesight and Ketchup, 100 to 8 any other.
Tote (2/-)—Win, 5/6; places 3/6, 4/6, 23/-.
Eyesight led from Jane Moore, Bautsche, Josephine's Pet, Baykora, Ketchup, Alice Pinkthorne, Greek Minstrel, and Golden Ivy for half-way, when Baykora took a slight lead of Golden Ivy, Jane Moore and Greek Minstrel. At the last fence Golden Ivy drew to the front, but failed to withstand the challenge of Greek Minstrel, who won by two lengths, ten lengths off Park Knight was third, Jane Moore fourth, Josephine's Pet fifth, Just Reward sixth, Ketchup seventh. Time—9 mins. 35 4-5 secs.

**5.0—DROGHEDA PLATE** of 300 sovs. Second 45 sovs., third 30 sovs. Weight for age steeplechase. 3 m.
Mr. E. Beattie's br. g. BALLYBOE, by Tonton—Silver Nest, 4, 10-8 P. J. Murphy 1
Mr. A. Barry's DOG'S ISLAND, 5, 10-13 T. Hyde 2
Mr. D. Frame's BRAY GLEN, 6, 12-5 D. L. Moore 3
Lord Glentoran's Carmavey, a, 11-0...D. Ruttle 0
Mr. P. T. Lyons's Carlingford Lough, 6, 11-5 J. Lenihan 0
Mr. C. Cosgrave's Lost Horizon, a, 11-5 J. Fitzgerald 0
Lord Glentoran's Molly's Way, 5, 10-5 J. Geraghty 0
Mrs. A. Simmons's Toythorpe, 5, 10-13 M. C. Prendergast 0
Mr. J. A. Mangan's Pucka Man, 4, 10-1 M. Gordon 0
Mr. A. P. Harris's Peter Wolfe, 4, 10-1 M. J. Prendergast 0
Mr. P. J. Frayne's Miss Rhythm, 4, 10-0 P. O'Connor 0
(Winner trained by Fetherstonhaugh.)
Betting—3 to 1 agst. Peter Wolfe, 4 to 1 each BALLYBOE, Bray Glen and Miss Rhythm, 8 to 1 Carmavey, 10 to 1 Dog's Island or any other.
Tote (2/-)—Win: 17/6. Places: 6/-, 6/-, 5/-.
Won by a length and a half; eight lengths. Peter Wolfe was fourth and Carlingford Lough fifth.

**TOTE DOUBLE.**
Knockadroleen and Greek Minstrel. Dividend (2/-)—£4 2/6. 336 winning tickets. Pool, £1,126 10/-. Day's pool, £6,398. Last year, £7,239.

The Punchestown Racecourse Premises were disinfected with Jeyes' Fluid—by Jeyes' Sanitary Compounds Co. (S.E.), Ltd., Dublin. —(Advt.)

### NEWMARKET HINTS FOR TO-DAY

Our main hopes for the "Guineas" to-day are Stardust, Turkhan, Lighthouse II., Fair Test and Hippius. Stardust has done well since his race against Tant Mieux at Newbury, and I am prepared to see him turn the tables on the Beckhampton colt. For the winner, however, I am selecting

**LIGHTHOUSE II.,**

who won his race at the last meeting here in the style of a really good colt. Other selections:—2.0, Egret; 2.30, Heliopolis; 4.20, Lovely Woman (nap); 4.50 Carlotta (next best).

**Closing of Entries**

Entries for the Leopardstown June and Kilbeggan meetings close to-day with Mr. F. Harold Clarke, 9 Hume street, Dublin.

*GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE*

## BEST CLAIMS ARE HELD BY DJEBEL

### *Galtee More's Summing-up of To-day's Big Race*

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

*NEWMARKET, Tuesday Night.*

THE first war substitute for a classic race, since the St. Leger of 1918, will be decided on the July course here to-morrow. A French-bred horse, Quartier Maitre, won the Lincolnshire Handicap; an Irish-bred colt, Meadow, won the Newbury Cup, and an American-bred gelding, Time Step, won the Victoria Cup last week. Now, the odds seem strongly in favour of a colt bred in France winning the 2,000 Guineas. Never in the history of the first of our classic races has French breeding seemed to be so strongly represented at Newmarket as it will be to-morrow by Djebel, Lighthouse II. and Tant Mieux, all of whom were bred on the other side of the Channel.

**Distinguished Record**

Possibly, even probably, they will be first, second and third favourites at the off, as they were at the call-over of the card last night, though there was so little betting then that the returns form no reliable guide. Djebel, who belongs to M. Marcel Boussac, has excellent claims to be regarded as a likely winner. After performing with distinction in his races in France he came to England in November to win the Middle Park Stakes, and with ease, by two lengths from Tant Mieux.

That was a clear cut win—a decisive win—from the best English two-year-old, for Tant Mieux, who had been bought in France as a yearling by Mr. Peter Beatty, was the best two-year-old in England, and was placed at the top of the Free Handicap by Mr. Arthur Fawcett.

This season Djebel has won a race at Longchamps over a mile and three furlongs. All the accounts of him are that he has made full normal improvement between the ages of two and three, and there is no doubt about his ability to stay the Bunbury mile well. His prospects thus appear in an attractive light.

**Old Rivals**

In France there was not a great deal to choose between Djebel and Lighthouse II., who Lord Derby raced across Channel last year, but brought to Stanley House in the winter. French estimate of the pair puts them very close together, especially as on the occasion when Lighthouse II. was beaten, which was at Deauville, he was not at his best and was sickening for a complaint which made it necessary to hold him up for a time. On the three occasions on which they have met Lighthouse II. has won twice, and to-morrow's race will be their fourth contest.

**Tant Mieux and Stardust**

The third of the leading French-bred colts, Tant Mieux, had a splendid record last season—seven races, in which he won four times and three times was second. The last occasion on which he was beaten was by Djebel, and that time he edged off his line in the run in, otherwise the margin between them might not have been quite so much. But the fact remains that through the last half of that race Djebel was his superior.

This season Tant Mieux has won the Greenham Stakes at Newbury, so we can assume normal improvement in his case. It was only by a narrow margin that he beat Stardust in that race, which was slowly run, Tant Mieux showing the better turn of speed in the final rally. Doubtless his trainer, F. Darling, has worked some improvement in Tant Mieux since then.

There is not a great deal to be said for the others. Hippius may prove the best of the colts trained by Jack Jarvis, but on the Gimcrack running he is clearly held by Tant Mieux and Stardust. Prince Tetra is a spectacular winner this year, but his two-year-year old form makes him a stone below the best.

**Irish-bred Candidate**

The elusive one in the race, and the one that is likely to prove the best representative of Irish breeding, is Fair Test, by Fairway, who is trained by Captain Boyd-Rochfort for Lord Portal and is from the stud of Mr. Bellamey. He ran only twice last season—first at Ascot, when beaten a short head and four lengths by Tant Mieux and Stardust, and then at Liverpool in July, when he won easily in a fair-class field.

It is not easy to remember a 2,000 Guineas in which the major cards have been exposed so completely. A reading of them suggests that

**DJEBEL**

may be the best and Lighthouse II. and Tant Mieux second and third best. The last-named is a light-actioned colt who needs the top of the ground to show him at his very best. This he may not have to-morrow.

**Other Selections**

The Chippenham Stakes may be won by FOX CUB, who was second to Blue Peter in last year's Derby. DEFIANT should win the Somersham Stakes and the CARPET SLIPPER FILLY is suggested for the Wilbraham Stakes.

GALTEE MORE.

## LIGHTHOUSE II. GETS THE VOTE

### EXPECTED TO WIN NEW 2,000 GUINEAS

TWENTY-TWO horses are expected to contest the New Two Thousand Guineas at Newmarket to-day. The two French-bred colts, Djebel and Lighthouse II., have been well backed in the ante-post market and have completed their preparation satisfactorily. Djebel was rated as being 5lb. superior to Lighthouse II. in the French Free Handicap last year. Both colts have won in England; Djebel defeated Tant Mieux at Newmarket last November and Lighthouse II was too good for Golden Tiger at the Craven meeting a fortnight ago. There was a great deal to like about the way in which

**LIGHTHOUSE II.,**

won on that occasion and I give him a confident vote. He is by Pharos, who ran second to Papyrus in the Derby in 1923, and, therefore, comes of good classic stock. Djebel also is bred on the best lines, as his sire, Tourbillon, won the French Derby in 1931.

There is little to choose between Tant Mieux and Stardust on their form in the Greenham Stakes, run over one mile at Newbury a fortnight ago. Tant Mieux finished strongly in the last hundred yards and won by a head. His performance was all the more meritorious as he appeared to be hampered at a critical part of the race. Fair Test won one of his two races last season. This was the valuable Lancashire Breeders' Produce Stakes at Liverpool in July, when he outpaced Bashir and other speedy juveniles.

Prince Tetra is a good winner this season. He defeated Medley and Defiant at Newmarket a fortnight ago, and then had Hippius, Turkhan, Through the Mist and Baldarroch behind. Prince Tetra won one of his four races last season and finished second in the others.

J. Jarvis's stable will be represented by Epilobeum and Hippius, who are in different ownership. I prefer Hippius, whose best form last season was his defeat of Turkhan over six furlongs at Goodwood. Ridley has good claims to be regarded as the likeliest outsider. His best performance as a juvenile was his defeat of Defiant at Manchester. He has proved his fitness, as he won from Priority and Tenor at Nottingham three weeks ago.

## NEWMARKET RESULTS

**2.0—APPRENTICE PLATE** of £119. 1 m.
Mr. H. Leader's gr. g. FLOWER OF INDIA, by Alisham—Giroflee, 3, 6-4...D. Greening 1
Mr. R. Dand's PAPIRIUS, 3, 6-4...Wm. McColl 2
Mr. G. Digby's WILLIAM TELL, 6, 7-10 T. Kenny 3
Also ran:—Le Pommier (D. Laing), Brescia (H. Haworth), Dame Agatha (K. Roberts), Ballathie (S. Williams), Sugar Kandy (D. Ginder), Averil (J. Armstrong), Sovereignty (A. Freeman), Coconada (R. Burrows), Coon (W. Knight). (Winner trained by H. Leader.)
Betting—2 to 1 agst. FLOWER OF INDIA, 11 to 4 Brescia, 5 to 1 Sugar Kandy, 10 to 1 each Ballathie and Averil 100 to 8 Papirius, 20 to 1 any other.
Tote (2/-)—Win, 5/6; places, 3/3, 4/3, 28/9.
Won by four lengths; same. Brescia was fourth, Ballathie last.

**2.30—FIRST SPRING T.Y.O. STAKES** of £255. 5 f.
Mr. C. W. Gordon's ch. c. LUMINARY, by Fair Trial—Guiding Star, 8-9..........E. Smith 1
Lord Derby's ESTUARY, 8-6......R. Perryman 2
Mrs. A. James's COUNTERSCARP, 8-9 H. Wragg 3
Also ran:—Quothquan c (G. Richards), Sorrow c. (P. Beasley). (Winner trained by J. Jarvis.)
Betting—9 to 4 on LUMINARY, 100 to 30 agst. Estuary, 10 to 1 Quothquan c., 20 to 1 any other.
Tote (2/-)—Win, 2/6; places, 2/1, 2/1.
Won by a short head; same. Quothquan colt was fourth.

**3.0—THURLOW HANDICAP** of £251. 2 m. 24 yds.
Mr. Froome's ch. h. KEPT-ON, by Soldennis—Erin Green, a, 8-4 ..........K. Gethin 1
Lady Nuttall's WAYWARD MISS, 4, 8-1 A. Richardson 2
Lt.-Col. Green's ASCOT LAD, 5, 7-7.......D. Smith 3
Also ran—Frawn (E. Smith), Vergilius (M. Beary), Senor (T. Weston), Contrevent (R. Brethes), Prince Nicolet (P. Beasley), Good Cast (G. Littlewood), Near Relation (C. Richards), Prickles (T. V. Dick), Straight Larch (K. Mullins). Winner trained by V. Hobbs.
Betting—4 to 1 agst. Vergilius, 5 to 1 each Wayward Miss and Frawn, 7 to 1 KEPT-ON, 8 to 1 Ascot Lad, 100 to 9 Near Relation, 100 to 8 each Prince Nicolet, Contrevent, and Senor, 10 to 7 Good Cast, 20 to 1 any other.
Tote (2/-)—Win, 15/-; places, 4/3, 4/6, 4/6.
Won by a neck; half a length. Contrevent was fourth and Prickles last.

**3.30—HASTINGS THREE-YEAR-OLD STAKES** of £380. 1 m. 2 f.
M. Henri Balsan's b. c. MAJANO, by Deiri—Madgi Moto, 8-7 ..........R. Brethes 1
Mrs. C. Rich's BOLD NICK, 9-0......J. Marshall 2
Lady Beatty's BLACK TONI, 9-0..W. Stephenson 3
Also ran—Cameron (P. Maher), Liberated (E. Smith), Jonario (T. Weston), Asterisk (G. Richards), Sleek Son (M. Beary), Bisharin (C. Smirke), Boccaccio (G. Bezant), Merry Son (P. Beasley), Caesar's Wall (T. Lowrey), Xarifa II. (W. Rickaby). Winner trained in France.
Betting—11 to 4 MAJANO, 5 to 1 each Sleek Son and Black Toni, 6 to 1 Caesar's Wall, 10 to 1 each Bold Nick and Liberated, 100 to 8 Asterisk, 100 to 6 Jonario, 20 to 1 any other.
Tote (2/-)—Win, 5/-; places, 2/9, 4/-, 4/6.
Won by a length and a half; three-quarters of a length. Caesar's Wall was fourth and Xarifa II. last.

**4.0—MAIDEN T.Y.O. STAKES** of £261. 5 f.
Mr. H. Count's br. c. LE MARMOT, by Le Gosse—Andalouse III., 8-12 ...R. Brethes 1
Lord Derby's BOB-A-NOB, 8-9 ...R. Perryman 2
Duke of Westminster's BOAR HOUND, 8-12 G. Richards 3
Also ran:—Merry Wanderer (W. Stephenson), Canvasail (D. Smith), Cuisiniere c. (T. Weston), Very Dear (H. Wragg), Rapscallion (R. A. Jones), Staplegrove (J. Taylor), Starwort (P. Beasley), Fortrose (F. Lane), Sharpshooter (M. Beary), Fortunate Lady f. (E. Smith), Mustard Gas (J. Simpson), Flittemere g. (T. Lowrey), Berenice f. (R. Lacey), Red Ridinghood (C. Richards). (Winner trained in France.)
Betting—11 to 4 each agst. Very Dear and Boar Hound, 4 to 1 LE MARMOT, 6 to 1 Fortunate Lady filly, 10 to 1 Bob-a-Nob, 100 to 8 each Cuisiniere colt and Canvasail, 100 to 7 Starwort, 20 to 1 any other.
Tote (2/-)—Win, 8/9; places, 3/-, 4/6, 2/6.
Won by a length and a half; same. Merry Wanderer was fourth and Sharpshooter last.

**4.30—BOTESDALE HANDICAP** of £332. 1 m.
Mr. S. H. Joel's br. f. JUNGLE BOOK, by Felstead—Jungle Queen, 4, 7-1 (car. 7-3) G. Littlewood 1
Mrs. Monkhouse's HALCYON GIFT, 5, 7-13 G. Richards 2
Mr. Heys's SAINT ANDREWS II., a, 9-2 K. Gethin 3
Also ran:—High Peru (M. Beary), Allegiance (W. Griggs), Valandra (E. Smith). (Winner trained by Hogg.)
Betting—7 to 4 agst. JUNGLE BOOK, 5 to 2 Saint Andrews II., 7 to 2 Halcyon Gift, 10 to 1 High Peru, 100 to 8 Allegiance, 20 to 1 Valandra.
Tote (2/-)—Win, 4/9; places, 2/9, 3/6.
Won by a length and a half; three lengths. High Peru was fourth and Valandra last.
TOTE DOUBLE (10/- stake)—Kept-On and Le Marmot. Dividend £30 6/-. Pool £1,118. 20 winning tickets.

## NEWMARKET CARD

**TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS**

Barrow Selling Plate—**Duckweed.**
Chippenham Stakes—**Fox Cub.**
2,000 Guineas—**Lighthouse II.** (nap).
Somersham Stakes—**Defiant.**
Bretby Handicap—**Malmsey.**
Wilbraham Stakes—**Justice.**

**TO-DAY'S DOUBLE:**

**Lighthouse II. and Fox Cub.**

**2.0—BARROW SELLING PLATE** of 200 sovs. Two-year-olds. 5 f. st. lb.
SOLAR GREEN (Mrs. A. S. Bingham) R. J. Colling 9 2
FOREST PRINCE (Mr. M. Benson) ......Jelliss 8 12
SCUDO (Mr. D. M. Gant)..........C. Ray 8 12
PREDICAMENT (Mr. L. Hyman) ......Briscoe 8 12
TORBAY C. (Mr. G. Lambton) ......Lambton 8 12
DUCKWEED (Mr. T. Smith) ......Templeman 8 12
EGRET F. (Capt. Boyd-Rochfort) B.-Rochfort 8 9
HELENE F. (Mr. F. J. Colling) ......Owner 8 9
YAHNE DARGENT (Mr. H. Count)...France 8 9
RATICULE G. (Mrs. B. van Cutsem) J. Leach 8 9
CALENDULA F. (Sir T. Dixon)...M. Peacock 8 9
FORTUNATE LADY F. (Ld. Ennisdale) Cottrill 8 9
AGNES SOREL (Mr. Esmond) ......J. Jarvis 8 9
MISS NORFEN F. (Ld. Fitzwilliam) Whitaker 8 9
LADY CATFIELD F. (Mrs. Macdonald-Buchanan) ..........S. Darling 8 9
ROYAL BLOW (Mr. McKinlay)...H. Peacock 8 9
LIGHTSOME G. (Mr. A. Masters) E. Williams 8 9
EERIE F. (Mr. I. K. Muir) ..........Saxby 8 9
QUEEN OF THE FOAM F. (Mr. G. Pease) Pease 8 9
LUCILLE G. (Mrs. R. Shafto) ...H. Leader 8 9
GEPPETTO (Capt. Sir H. de Trafford) R. Adams 8 9
ROSE (Mr. P. T. Williams) ..........C. Pratt 8 9
YES SIRREE (Mr. C. Wood) ......Bancroft 8 9

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Betting Forecast.
TORBAY C. ..........H. Holden 100/8
023 DUCKWEED C. ..........G. Richards 3/1
2 EGRET F. ..........P. Beasley 7/4
HELENE F. ..........P. Evans 100/6
0 AGNES SOREL ..........E. Smith 6/1
MISS NOREEN F. ..........T. Weston 8/1
LADY CATFIELD F. ..........Wragg 100/6
EERIE F. ..........F. Herbert 100/6
0 LUCELLE G. ..........R. Lacey 100/6
32 ROSE ..........C. Richards 4/1

**2.30—CHIPPENHAM STAKES,** with 300 sovs. added. 1½ m. Age. st. lb.
MARANTA (Sir A. Bailey)..........Lawson 6 9 7
CILLAS (M. M. Boussac)......S. Donoghue 5 9 7
FINIS (Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen)......O Bell 5 9 3
HELIOPOLIS (Lord Derby)..........Earl 4 9 3
OWENSTOWN (Sir T. Dixon)..M. Peacock 6 9 3
RIVER PRINCE (Duke of Marlborough) Boyd-Rochfort 5 9 3
BLACK SPECK (Mr. J. Rank)..N. Cannon a 9 3
FRAWN (Mr. J. Westoll)..........Barling 6 9 3
DUBONNET (Col. H. Hornung)..B. Jarvis 5 9 3
QUICK RAY (Lord Astor)..........Lawson 4 8 13
HUNTERS MOON IV. (Mr. E. Esmond) F. Darling 4 8 13
KNOLE STAR (Mrs. G. Wilkinson) W. Nightingall 5 8 10
RODEO II. (Mr. R. Cohen)..........Laye 4 8 9
ROANOKE (Lord Derby)..........Earl 5 8 9
OUTBREAK (Mr. E. Esmond)..F. Darling 4 8 9
ERAN BIRD (Mr. S. McGregor)..V. Hobbs 4 8 9
CASANOVA (Lady Zia Wernher) Boyd-Rochfort 4 8 9
FOX CUB (Mr. E. Esmond)......F. Darling 4 8 7
BELLMAN (Mrs. L. Corbett)..........O. Bell 4 8 5
HASTINGS (M. M. Goudchaux)...Lawson 4 8 5
TALLBOY (Sir C. Hyde)..........Scobie 4 8 5
GRAND UNION (Mr. W. Murray) Boyd-Rochfort 4 8 0
KING LEGEND (Mr. J. Rank).N. Cannon 4 8 0

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Betting Forecast.
033 CILLAS ..........E. C. Elliott 10/1
114 HELIOPOLIS ..........R. Perryman 6/1
040 RIVER PRINCE ..........P. Beasley 100/8
221 DUBONNET ..........T. Lowrey 8/1
134 QUICK RAY ..........M. Beary 100/6
1 HUNTER'S MOON IV. ..........T. Weston 4/1
020 ROANOKE ..........W. Rickaby 100/8
020 OUTBREAK ..........A. Richardson 100/6
000 ERAN BIRD ..........C. Miles 100/6
123 FOX CUB ..........G. Richards 5/1
001 BELLMAN ..........H. Wragg 7/2

**3.15—NEW 2,000 GUINEAS STAKES,** a sweepstakes of 100 sovs. each, with 2,000 guineas added, for entire colts and fillies. Three years old. 1 m. st. lb.
THROUGH THE MIST (Lord Astor) Lawson 9 0
BLACK TONI (Lady Beatty)..........Beatty 9 0
DJEBEL (M. Marcel Boussac) ......Donoghue 9 0
SAGUENAY (Mr. R. S. Clark) H. Peacock 9 0
LIGHTHOUSE II. (Lord Derby)..........Earl 9 0
BON ACCORD (Mr. W. Downes)......T. Hall 9 0
BALDARROCH (Col. E. J. L. Hardie) R. Day 9 0
PRINCE TETRA (Lord Hirst)...Templeman 9 0
EL MOROCCO (Sir John Jarvis) ... J. Jarvis 9 0
EPILOBEUM (Sir John Jarvis)... J. Jarvis 9 0
STARDUST (H.H. Aga Khan)...Fk. Butters 9 0
TURKHAN (H.H. Aga Khan) Fk. Butters 9 0
TANT MIEUX (H.H. Maharaja of Kolhapur) F. Darling 9 0
LUCULLUS (Duke of Norfolk) ..........Gilpin 9 0
ROMULUS (Miss Dorothy Paget) W. Nightingall 9 0
FAIR TEST (Lord Portal) ...Boyd-Rochfort 9 0
THE DRUID (Mr. J. V. Rank) N. Cannon 9 0
HIPPIUS (Lord Rosebery)..........J. Jarvis 9 0
CONGRATULATIONS (Sir Victor Sassoon) McVittie 9 0
RIDLEY (Capt. G. H. Wilbraham)......Bissy 9 0
BLADEN (Mr. William Woodward) Boyd-Rochfort 9 0
NUIT DE NOCE (Baron E. de Rothschild) France 8 9

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Betting Forecast.
140 BALDARROCH ..........T. Weston 50/1
330 BLADEN ..........W. Nevett 40/1
000 BON ACCORD ..........J. Marshall 40/1
310 CONGRATULATIONS ......M. Beary 50/1
321 DJEBEL ..........E. C. Elliott 11/4
320 EL MOROCCO ..........W. Sibbritt 40/1
141 EPILOBEUM ..........R. A. Jones 25/1
41 FAIR TEST ..........P. Beasley 9/1
134 HIPPIUS ..........E. Smith 20/1
111 LIGHTHOUSE II. ......R. Perryman 11/4
010 LUCULLUS ..........T. Bartlam 50/1
221 PRINCE TETRA ..........A. Wragg 100/8
000 ROMULUS ..........F. Lane 50/1
001 RIDLEY ..........W. Bullock 20/1
411 SAGUENAY ..........J. Taylor 66/1
122 STARDUST ..........H. Wragg 100/9
200 TURKHAN ..........C. Smirke 33/1
121 TANT MIEUX ..........G. Richards 7/1
400 THROUGH THE MIST ...C. Richards 33/1
104 THE DRUID ..........D. Smith 20/1
21 NUIT DE NOCE ..........C. Bouillon 25/1

**3.50—SOMERSHAM STAKES,** with 300 sovs. added. 7 f. Age st. lb.
TRUE MATE (Capt. Harvey)......C. Pratt 3 10 2
EASTERN BANQUET (Mrs. Hawkins) H. Peacock 3 8 6
DOUBLET (Mr. H. Blagrave)...Blagrave 4 8 1
PHAETUSA (Lord Amherst of Hackney) Lambton 3 7 12
INJUSTICE (Duke of Westminster) Templeman 4 7 12
FORTUNATE LAD (Lord Ennisdale) Cottrill 3 7 12
JAMAICA INN (Miss Paget) W. Nightingall 3 7 5
NEON (Mr. A. Sainsbury)..........Barling 3 7 5
BROQUART (M. Leon Volterra)...France 3 7 5
DEFIANT (Mr. W. Murray) ......Persse 3 7 5
PEACE OFFERING (Mrs. Wood)...Earl 3 7 2
QUIXOTIC (Lord Astor) ..........Lawson 3 7 2
IMPERSONATOR (Sgt. van Cutsem) J. Leach 3 7 2
SLAVONIC GUARD (Mr. M. Field) B.-Rochfort 3 7 2
GLOAMING (Mr. Raphael) ......Lambton 3 7 2

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Betting Forecast.
001 EASTERN BANQUET ..........J. Taylor 9/2
000 DOUBLET ..........E. Gardner 100/7
100 PHAETUSA ..........H. Holden 6/1
Or
00 GLOAMING ..........H. Holden 6/1
431 FORTUNATE LAD ..........E. Smith 3/1
033 DEFIANT ..........A. Burns 7/4
040 QUIXOTIC ..........H. Southward 10/1

**4.20—BRETBY HANDICAP.** A plate of £300. 6 f. Age st. lb.
MICKEY THE GREEK (Mr. H. Leach) H. Leach 6 9 5
CARNIVAL BOY (Miss Monckton) F. Leach 6 8 11
ARRIBA ESPANA (Capt. Jameson) T. R. Leader 5 8 9
LYNEDOCH (Lt.-Col. H. Green) ...Sneyd 5 8 1
ZAITOR (Mr. Olding) ..........Persse 4 8 1
REAL ESTATE (Mr. Jelliss) ......Jelliss 5 8 0
LOVELY WOMAN (Mr. Jeapes) ...Hogg 6 7 13
MALMSEY (Mr. R. Dawson) ......Owner 6 7 12
SALARRHODON (Mr. Monkhouse) R. Metcalfe 4 7 12
SAGUENAY (Mr. R. Clark) H. Peacock 3 7 12
CALEDONIAN (Mr. H. Leader) ...Owner 4 7 11
AZAM PASHA (Mr. J. Rank) N. Cannon 6 7 10
FIORETTI (Mr. M. Ades) ..........Digby a 7 9
RUMOUR (Mr. M. McAlpine) V. Smyth 4 7 7
APPLE ANNIE (Mr. Cottrill) ...Cottrill 4 7 4

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Betting Forecast.
130 MICKEY THE GREEK ...H. Wragg 6/1
230 CARNIVAL BOY ..........J. Simpson 8/1
003 ARRIBA ESPANA ......R. Perryman 6/1
000 LINDOCH ..........E. Smith 100/6
030 ZAITOR ..........A. Burns 10/1
030 REAL ESTATE ..........D. Smith 10/1
001 LOVELY WOMAN ......G. Littlewood 4/1
002 MALMSEY ..........T. Bartlam 3/1
000 SALARRHODON ..........G. Richards 100/7
000 CALEDONIAN ..........R. Lacey 100/6
000 FIORETTI ..........H. Smirke 100/6
040 RUMOUR ..........K. Mullins 100/6
000 APPLE ANNIE ..........A. Richardson 100/6

**4.50—WILBRAHAM STAKES,** with 200 sovs. added. Two-year-old fillies. 5 f. st. lb.
JUSTICE (Capt. L. Montagu)..........Cottrill 9 4
MISS DEED (Sir A. Bailey)..........R. Day 8 8
KILMURRY F. (Mrs. F. J. Barlow)..Walters 8 8
ENGLISH FLEET (Mr. P. Beatty)...Beatty 8 8
PRECOCIOUS PRINCESS (Mrs. Benson) H. Leach 8 8
YAHNE DARGENT (Mr. H. Count)...France 8 8
PHILAMOT (Lady Derby) ..........Earl 8 8
BLACK RAY F. (Mr. M. Field)...B.-Rochfort 8 8
CARLOTTA F. (Ld. Glanely)..........B. Jarvis 8 8
SMALLHOPES (Maj. Holliday)..R. W. Colling 8 8
GUIENNE (Mrs A. James)..........G. Colling 8 8
GOLLYWOG F. (Mr. J. B. Joel)...C. Peck 8 8
FIRE DANCE F. (Mr. J. B. Joel) C. Peck 8 8
EARLY LIGHT (Mr. S. H. Joel) ... Hogg 8 8
BLUE GROTTO (Mr. G. Lambton) Lambton 8 8
CHINA MAIDEN (Mr. I. K. Muir) Saxby 8 8
CARPET SLIPPER F. (Miss D. Paget) F. Darling 8 8
NITROKIS (Mr. H. Quennell) Fred Butters 8 8
TURKANA (Lt.-Col. P. G. Robinson) R. J. Colling 8 8
THEIA (Ld. Sefton) ..........Persse 8 8
BOOKLET (Lady Zia Wernher) B.-Rochfort 8 8
WINDFALL (D. of Westminster) Templeman 8 8

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Betting Forecast.
1 JUSTICE ..........M. Beary 7/2
KILMURRY F. ..........C. Richards 20/1
ENGLISH FLEET ......W. Stephenson 20/1
0 PRECOCIOUS PRINCESS H. Wragg 20/1
YAHNE D'ARGENT ......R. Brethes 4/1
PHILAMOT ..........R. Perryman 20/1
0 BLACK RAY F. ..........P. Beasley 10/1
Or
BOOKLET ..........P. Beasley 10/1
CARLOTTA F. ..........T. Lowrey 6/1
SMALLHOPES ..........— 20/1
0 GUIENNE ..........— 20/1
GOLLYWOG F. E. C. Elliott or C. Smirke 100/6
FIRE DANCE E. C. Elliott or C. Smirke 20/1
0 EARLY LIGHT ..........G. Littlewood 20/1
BLUE GROTTO ..........H. Holden 20/1
NILE GODDESS ..........E. Smith 8/1
CHINA MAIDEN ..........F. Herbert 20/1
THEIA ..........P. Gomes 6/1
WINDFALL ..........G. Richards 100/8
W. Nevett rides either Smallhopes or Guienne.


**LEOPARDSTOWN CLUB,**

**JUNE MEETING, 1940.**

SATURDAY, JUNE 1st.

Free Carriage by Rail, or the equivalent by Road Transport, of all horses running at the Meeting.
For full particulars see *Racing Calendar.*
The following Races CLOSE TO-DAY (WEDNESDAY), MAY 1st, with Mr. F. Harold Clarke, 9 Hume street, Dublin, C.2.
Telegraphic Address—"Turfclub, Dublin."
THE STILLORGAN PLATE of 100 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. One mile and a half.
THE GLENCAIRN PLATE of 100 sovs. A flat race for three years old and upwards that have never won a *race. Qualified Riders. About two miles.
*Including races under I.N.H.S. and N.H. Rules.
THE TOWER PLATE of 100 sovs. For Irish-trained horses, two years old only. Five furlongs.
THE SCALP PLATE of 100 sovs. A flat race for Irish-trained horses, three years old and upwards, maidens at starting. One mile one furlong and about 60 yards.
THE BRAY PLATE of 100 sovs. A handicap flat race for three years old and upwards. About seven furlongs.
THE LEOPARDSTOWN PRODUCE STAKES.—(Closed.)
—(Advt.)


## SELECTIONS FOR NEWMARKET MEETING

| PAPER. | 2.0 RACE. | 2.30 RACE. | 3.15 RACE. | 3.50 RACE. | 4.20 RACE. | 4.50 RACE. |
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| Irish Times | Duckweed. | Fox Cub. | Lighthouse II.* | Defiant. | Malmsey. | Justice. |
| Galtee More | — | Fox Cub. | Djebel. | Defiant. | — | Carpet Slipper filly. |
| S. Life & Sportsman | Egret filly. | F. Darling's selected. | Djebel* ... 1 Lighthouse II. ... 2 | Defiant. | Mickey the Greek. | Justice. |
| Man on the Spot | Duckweed. | F. Darling's selected. | Lighthouse II. ... 1 Djebel 2, Fair Test 3 | Defiant.* | Arriba Espana. | Philamot. |
| Star | Egret filly; Yahne D'Argent, place. | Fox Cub.* Quick Ray, place. | Fair Test. | Defiant; Peace Offering, place. | Lynedoch; Arriba Espana, place. Mickey the Greek. | Justice; Theia, place. |
| Evening News | — | — | Lighthouse II. | — | — | — |
| Evening Standard | Egret filly. | Bellman. | Lighthouse II. | Defiant. | Malmsey. | English Fleet. |

HOUSE II. GETS THE VOTE

D TO WIN NEW 0 GUINEAS

WO horses are expected to New Two Thousand Guineas rket to-day. The two French el and Lighthouse II., have in the ante-post market and their preparation satisfac was rated as being 5th hthouse II. in the French last year. Both colts have d; Djebel defeated Tant market last November and s too good for Golden Tiger meeting a fortnight ago eat deal to like about the

HTHOUSE II.,

asion and I give him a con le is by Pharos, who ran s in the Derby in 1923, and of good classic stock. Djebel the best lines, as his sire the French Derby in 1931. to choose between Tant dust on their form in the run over one mile at New ago. Tant Mieux finished ast hundred yards and won is performance was all the as he appeared to be ham al part of the race. Fair his two races last season luable Lancashire Breeders at Liverpool in July, when Dashir and other speedy

a good winner this season dley and Defiant at New ght ago, and then had n, Through the Mist and l. Prince Tetra won one of season and finished second

ble will be represented by Hippius, who are in different efer Hippius, whose best was his defeat of Turkhan at Goodwood. Ridley has e regarded as the likeliest t performance as a juvenile f Defiant at Manchester, his fitness, as he won from nor at Nottingham three

MARKET RESULTS

PLATE of £119. 1 m. g. FLOWER OF INDIA. roffee, 3, 6-4...D. Greening 1 RIUS, 3, 6-4...Wm. McColl 2 LLIAM TELL, 6, 7-10 T. Kenny 3 mier (D. Laing), Brescia (H. gatha (K. Roberts), Ballathie Kandy (D. Ginder), Averil Sovereignty (A. Freeman), rrows), Coon (W. Knight), II. Leader.) gst. FLOWER OF INDIA, 11 1 Sugar Kandy, 10 to 1 Averil 100 to 8 Papirius. 6: places, 3/3, 4/3, 25/9. ngths; same. Brescia was

G T.Y.O. STAKES of £255. 5 f. ch. c. LUMINARY, by Fair Star, 8-9...E. Smith 1 ARY, 8-6...R. Perryman 2 COUNTERSCARP, 8-9 H. Wragg 3 uan c (G. Richards), Sorrow inner trained by J. Jarvis.) on LUMINARY, 100 to 30 1 Quothquan c., 20 to 1 2/6; places, 2/1, 2/1. head; same. Quothquan colt

HANDICAP of £251. 2 m. 24 yds. KEPT-ON, by Soldennis— 8-4...K. Gethin 1 WARD MISS, 4, 8-1 A. Richardson 2 OT LAD, 5, 7-7...D. Smith 3 (E. Smith), Vergilius (M. eston), Contrevent (R. Brethes), easley), Good Cast (G. Little C. Richards), Prickles (D. V. K. Mullins). Winner trained agst. Vergilius, 5 to 1 each rawn, 7 to 1 KEPT-ON, 8 to 9 Near Relation, 100 to 8 Contrevent, and Senor, 100 1 any other. /-; places, 4/3, 4/6, 4/6. alf a length. Contrevent was

REE-YEAR-OLD STAKES of 1 m. 2 f. c. MAJANO, by Deiri— ...R. Brethes 1 NICK, 9-0...J. Marshall 2 K TONI, 9-0...W. Stephenson 3 (P. Maher), Liberated (E. eston), Asterisk (G. Richards), ry), Bisharin (C. Smirke), Merry Son (P. Beasley), Lowrey), Xarifa II. (W. rained in France. MAJANO, 5 to 1 each Sleek 6 to 1 Caesar's Wall, 10 to and Liberated, 100 to 8 nario, 20 to 1 any other. -; places, 2/9, 4/-, 4/6. and a half; three-quarters of Wall was fourth and Xarifa

STAKES of £261. 5 f. LE MARMOT, by Le e III., 8-12...R. Brethes 1 NOB, 8-9...R. Perryman 2 's BOAR HOUND, 8-12 G. Richards 3 Wanderer (W. Stephenson), Cuisiniere c. (T. Weston), Rapscallion (R. A. Jones), or), Starwort (P. Beasley), Sharpshooter (M. Beary), E. Smith), Mustard Gas (J. g. (T. Lowrey), Berenice f. Ridinghood (C. Richards), ance.) each agst. Very Dear and E MARMOT, 6 to 1 Fortunate Bob-a-Nob, 100 to 8 each anvasail, 100 to 7 Starwort. /9; places, 3/-, 4/6, 2/6. and a half; same. Merry and Sharpshooter last.

HANDICAP of £332. 1 m. f. JUNGLE BOOK, by Queen, 4, 7-1 (car. 7-3) G. Littlewood 1 ALCYON GIFT, 5, 7-13 G. Richards 2 NDREWS II., a, 9-2 K. Gethin 3 eru (M. Beary), Allegiance ra (E. Smith). (Winner st. JUNGLE BOOK, 5 to 2 to 2 Halcyon Gift, 10 to 1 Allegiance, 20 to 1 Valandra. /9; places, 2/9, 3/6. a half; three lengths. High Valandra last. /- stake)—Kept-On and La 50 6/-. Pool £1,118.

TOWN CLUB, ETING, 1940.

AY, JUNE 1st. l, or the equivalent by Road s running at the Meeting. see *Racing Calendar*. CLOSE TO-DAY (WEDNES th Mr. F. Harold Clarke, C.2.:— —"Turfclub, Dublin." LATE of 100 sovs. A han One mile and a half. LATE of 100 sovs. A flat ars old and upwards that n race. Qualified Riders. I.N.H.S. and N.H. Rules. of 100 sovs. For Irish- o years old only. Five fur of 100 sovs. A flat race for s, three years old and up- t starting. One mile 60 yards. 100 sovs. A handicap flat rs old and upwards. About N PRODUCE STAKES.— —(Advt.)

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4.50 RACE. Justice. Carpet Slipper filly. Justice. Philamot. Justice; Theis. English Fleet.

GOLF

# IRISH OPEN MIXED FOURSOMES CUP

## CLOSE GAMES IN SECOND ROUND AT MILLTOWN

By Our Golf Correspondent.

Several of the second round matches in the Open mixed foursomes cup at Milltown last evening were finely contested. E. F. Kilduff and Koenigs and R. McConkey and Mrs. Conroy hard struggles to the home green, and C. W. Robertson and Dr. Margaret Nicholson went to the 17th for their win, as did J. B. and Mrs. ...er and J. F. McLoughlin and Miss ...ughlin. Fletcher and his partner had an up and down match with a strong Milltown combination, N. H. Lambert and Mrs. J. F. O'Grady. They were a hole up at the turn; but lost the three. A grand finish, however, brought victory by 2 and 1. Captain Horgan and Tod Randel went off with a flying start from Conroy and Miss Bermingham, former ...rs of the cup, taking the first five holes in 4, 3, 5, and they won by 4 and 3. A formidable combination in the top half are ...ughlin and his sister, who beat James ...e and his wife by 2 and 1. The Foxrock ...s played right good golf, but Miss ...ughlin was brilliant on the greens, never failing from a few yards.

The holders, James Carr and Miss McIntyre, in convincing golf to beat J. P. Malley and Hawe, 5 and 4.

There will be no play to-day. To-morrow the round starts at 5 o'clock.

### SECOND ROUND

H. Ryan (Grange 6) and Miss P. Coleman (ge 14) w.o., A. F. Graves (Foxrock 12) and ...ss Taaffe (Foxrock 18), scr.

W. Robertson (Portmarnock 3) and Dr. Margaret Nicholson (Milltown 8) beat J. Montgomery (Milltown 12) and Mrs. H. J. Neary (Milltown 11), 1.

J. Kavanagh (Milltown 12) and Miss Walsh (Milltown 10) beat T. A. Brindley (Portmarnock 9) and Miss O'N. Donnellon (Dun Laoghaire 5).

Carr (Sutton 0) and Miss M. McIntyre (...n 8) beat J. P. Malley (Sutton 7) and Mrs. (Newlands 17), 5 and 4.

S. McMullan (Sutton 5) and Mrs. R. ...th (Cork 19) beat P. B. O'Sullivan (Dun Laoghaire 6) and Miss N. Goro (Dun Laoghaire 5 and 1.

F. McLoughlin (Royal Dublin + 1) and Miss McLoughlin (Clontarf 8) beat J. L. Crabbe (...ck 3) and Mrs. Crabbe (Foxrock 11), 2 1.

F. Kilduff (Milltown 2) and Mrs. Koenigs (...wn 15) beat J. Fay (Milltown 14) and Mrs Byrne (Milltown 15), 1 up.

A. Carroll (Dundalk 2) and Mrs. Carroll (Dundalk 13) beat C. C. Callaghan (Kilcroney 5) and Heatley (Kilcroney 17), 4 and 3.

W. Tunney (Milltown 10) and Mrs. Reinders (Louth 14) beat J. Driver (Grange 0) and P. McEntaggert (Delgany 7), 7 and 5.

V. Horgan (Milltown 4) and Mrs. Tod Randel (Milltown 4) beat M. F. Conroy (Galway 9) and Miss Bermingham (Milltown 9), 4 and 3.

O'Brien (Royal Dublin 4) and Miss C. Hart (...arf 15) beat E. Davy (Milltown 7) and Miss ...attery (Tralee 5), 5 and 4.

H. Owens (Skerries + 2) and Miss N. Conroy (Skerries 14) beat L. B. Butler (Castle 9) and Miss C. Lowe (Grange 19), 3 and 2.

E. Fletcher (Castle 11) and Mrs. Fletcher (...nitage 2) beat N. H. Lambert (Milltown 5) and Mrs. J. F. O'Grady (Milltown 10), 2 and 1.

McConkey (Royal Dublin 0) and Mrs. M. Conroy (Galway 18) beat J. F. O'Grady (Milltown 9) and Miss A. O'Sullivan (Milltown 12).

M. Hogan (Sutton 10) and Miss M. McMahon (...more 12) beat J. St. J. Pike (Milltown 12) and Mrs. Pike (Milltown 11), 6 and 5.

F. Myerscough (Milltown 4) and Miss P. ...scough (Foxrock 9) beat A. H. Davidson (...marnock 5) and Miss T. Courtney (Milltown 5 and 4.

## £1,250 TOURNAMENT AT RICHMOND

There were no surprises in the first round of the concluding stage of the £1,250 tournament, postponed from September last, at Richmond, ...y, yesterday. Cotton, Compston, Padgham and Reginald Whitcombe got through, but Cotton was lucky to win by so large a margin as 4 and 3 against R. J. Taylor, and it was not until the ... that Cotton got definitely on top. Compston's ...g nearly let him down, and it was only on the home green that he beat N. F. Thompson. Reginald Whitcombe was taken to the last green by G. Durward, and Padgham and Perry had to go to the nineteenth before beating J. A. Jacobs and C. S. Denny respectively.

## CLUB NOTICES

DUN LAOGHAIRE.

Saturday next—Medal, bogey, time sheet. Booking ...iting, or after 10 a.m. on Friday by telephone.

DONABATE.

Ladies' Branch. To-day—Scotch foursomes ...s from 5.30. Saturday next—Lady President's (A. O. Ferguson) Cup. Two classes, first eight qualify. Draws from 2.30. Mr. C. M. Glass's ...—Miss O. K. Holmes (22), 70; Miss E. ...hnach (24), 73.

CLONTARF.

Ladies' Branch. Mrs. McNally's prize—Miss M. ...hy (16), 71; Mrs. Coghlan (17), 73; Mrs. E. ...ne (14), 74. To-morrow—Semi-open, handicap 28, 18 holes, strokes.

KILLINEY.

Ladies' Branch. Friday next—Open four-ball. ... Draws from 10.30. Men's committee prize, Class I.—Miss Armstrong (16), 79; Mrs. Walker 80. Class II.—Miss Kenny (36), 64; Mrs. (28), 78.

LUCAN.

Ladies' Branch. Friday—Miss P. Byrne's (...in) prize, 18 holes, strokes. Usual draws. O'Toole's prize—Mrs. Hannon (15), 4 down; V. Sampson (27), 5 down.

BRAY.

Ladies' Branch. Monday next—Medal, strokes. ...ge opponents. Mrs. Bermingham's prize postponed, date to be arranged.

GREYSTONES.

...rinson Cup, final—J. F. Mahony (11) and M. ...oppin (18) beat R. P. O'Neill (5) and H. E. (18), 2 and 1. A. H. Tyler's prize (American tournament)—Entries will be accepted up to and including Monday next. Arrange opponents.

DUNDALK.

...olan Cup, qualifying round. Best scores— ... Ryan (12), 70; P. J. Markey (9), 72; T. ...ran (17), 72; E. J. Cleere (20), 72; J. Crotty 73; W. H. Smye (7), 73; E. Strath (17), 74; ...eal (18), 74; R. H. McIntosh (19), 75; F. ...son (6), 75; C. W. McCarthy (8), 75; E. Ross (10), 75; T. Walshe (12), 75; J. P. Doris 75; Malachy Carroll (5), J. E. Collins (9), H. Evans (12), J. P. Kennedy (13), M. J. ...ne (9), each 76. Play off for two places to... at 6 o'clock. Saturday next—Summer prize, ...les, bogey, Stapleford.

WARRENPOINT.

...n mixed foursomes—Winners, Miss Blaney W. Hulme; runners-up, Miss M. O'Connor and ...rtagh. 42 pairs entered.

BUNDORAN.

Captain's prize, presented by Rev. T. Kelly, —Best gross and nett won by H. McClelland 73.

TUAM.

Walshe Cup—Qualifying round—Rev. T. ...y (25), 72; Rev. C. Gibbons (19), 72; gross, Rev. J. Mulrennan (6). Draw—E. J. (11) v. R. Leake (9); Rev. T. Morley v. T. Joyce (22); D. Cummins (15) v. Rev. ...hill (17); J. P. Walshe (15) v. B. Hoban; Rev. J. Mulrennan (6) v. Rev. W. Walshe; J. Bray (13) v. J. J. Egan (22); Sean (9) v. J. Loftus (14); Rev. C. Gibbons v. P. O'Connor (20).

OLDCASTLE.

...day—Medal, 18 holes, strokes. Draw at ... ...n's competition (strokes) on Saturday next. ... at 3 o'c.

CORBALLIS

...al prize, 18 holes, bogey—Rev. J. Cogan 5 up; J. Shaw (7), 4 up; D. P. Shaw 3 up. Sunday next—Free subscription competition, 18 holes, stroke.

KILLARNEY.

...nlagh Shield, 18 holes, strokes—M. J. Tatton 66; W. H. O'Sullivan (17), 70; M. C. ...oney (20), 71. Mixed foursomes—W. M. ...ivan and Miss A. McSweeney (9), 73; L. ... and Miss L. O'Sullivan (23), 77.

SKERRIES.

...oursomes—H. Mullally and Dr. P. W. ...wan (12½), 65½; R. N. Hogan and J. N. ...ley (11), 67; D. J. Stapleton and F. X. ...n (11½), 70½; A. F. Byrne and J. Boylan 71; F. A. Carroll and P. L. Flanagan (13½). Next Saturday—Foursome trials; certain ...erships as arranged by committee.

ST. JAMES'S GATE G.S.

...ewery Office Cup, qualifying round, played at ... The following qualified: R. G. Ault, 71; D. Butler, 80 (8); H. Murdock, 73 (20); Atkinson, 73 (18) N. Maddock, 74 (13); Higgins, 74 (18); A. E. Quin, 75 (17); D. Crumplin 78 (13); C. Murray, 78 (9). ...for match play—Maddock v. Butler; Atkinson ...; Ault v. Higgins; Quin v. Murdock. The ...ick (Inter-departmental Cup)—Experimental Technical, 225 (Ault, Butler, Waugh); Brewing 227 (Maddock, Quin, Murray); Offices, 228 ...ock, Graham, Crumplin); Vathouse, 231 ...nson, Frazer, O'Dwyer).

DUNDALK.

...lan Cup—Additional qualifier, H. H. Evans 76. Play-off to-morrow instead of to-day.

ROYAL DUBLIN.

...day—Competition, strokes. Saturday—... bogey.

HARD COURT LAWN TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS OF IRELAND

WILL BE HELD on the ELM PARK CLUB COURTS at NUTLEY, DONNYBROOK, SATURDAY, 4th MAY, and MONDAY to SATURDAY, 6th to 11th MAY, 1940. Entry forms may be obtained at the Clubhouse. ...s close 6 p.m., THURSDAY, 2nd MAY. —(Advt.)

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ATHLETICS

# LEINSTER SCHOOLS' CHAMPIONSHIPS

## PRELIMINARY HEATS AT BLACKROCK

Some preliminary heats in the Leinster Secondary Schools' Championships were held at Blackrock College yesterday in preparation for the finals there next Saturday. Under the conditions of a heavy ground, the times were quite satisfactory. In the senior 12lb. shot, E. Walsh, of Clongowes, with a putt of 39ft. 6ins. beat the record by 2ft. 1½ins. Results:—

100 YARDS.

Senior—Heat 1—T. Ruane (C.U.S.), 1; A. Cruise (Presentation, Glasthule), 2; C. B. Jones (Morgan's), 3. 11 secs. Heat 2—P. McCarthy (O'Connell), 1; C. Maguire (Blackrock), 2; S. V. Corcoran (Castleknock), 3. 11 secs. Heat 3—D. G. Ward (St. Columba's), 1; D. Hughes (St. Mary's, Rathmines), 2; T. Finlay (Clongowes), 3. 11 2-5 secs. Heat 4—J. Fay (St. Mary's, Dundalk), 1; L. Brussy (Wesley), 2; J. Holloway (St. Finian's, Mullingar), 3. 11 2-5 secs.

Junior—Heat 1—S. Weir (High School), 1; D. Linehan (Clongowes), 2; B. McElhinney (C.U.S.), 3. 11 3-5 secs. Heat 2—J. Sheridan (Wesley), 1; W. F. Vanston (St. Columba's), 2; J. D. Morgan (Mountjoy), 3. 11 3-5 secs. Heat 3—D. Roche (Newbridge), 1; P. J. Bradshaw (Sandford Park), 2; N. O'Donoghue (C.B.C. Dun Laoghaire), 3. 11 2-5 secs. Heat 4—A. Nicholson (Blackrock), 1; G. O'Reilly (St. Mary's, Dundalk), 2; N. de Chenn (Synge Street), 3. 11 3-5 secs.

Juvenile—Heat 1—F. Hopkirk (Clongowes), 1; J. H. Orford (King's Hospital), 2; A. Fitzpatrick (O'Connell), 3. 12 secs. Heat 2—A. W. Gill (Mountjoy), 1; C. O'Clery (Synge Street), 2; J. G. Buchanan (Sandford Park), 3. 12 secs. Heat 3—S. Collins (Blackrock), 1; N. Brennan (C.B.C. Dun Laoghaire), 2; G. B. Quinn (High School), 3. 12 secs. Heat 4—S. Humphries (Newbridge), 1; J. Fidler (Morgan's), 2; A. Warnants (C.U.S.), 3. 12 3-5 secs.

220 YARDS.

Senior—Heat 1—A. Cruise (Presentation, Glasthule), 1; J. P. Alton (St. Columba's), 2; C. B. Jones (Morgan's), 3. 26 secs. Heat 2—S. Conway (O'Connell), 1; D. Ryan (Synge Street), 2; G. S. Magahy (King's Hospital), 3. 26 2-5 secs. Heat 3—T. Ruane (C.U.S.), 1; C. Maguire (Blackrock), 2; W. O'Connell (Clongowes), 3. 26 secs. Heat 4—J. Fay (St. Mary's, Dundalk), 1; S. Brussy (Wesley), 2. 27 secs.

Junior—Heat 1—S. Weir (High School), 1; A. Nicholson (Blackrock), 2; A. L. Albon (King's Hospital), 3. 26 2-5 secs. Heat 2—W. Fitzpatrick (Clongowes), 1; R. Murphy (St. Mary's, Rathmines), 2; F. Johnson (Blackrock), 3. 25 4-5 secs. Heat 3—B. MacElhinny (C.U.S.), 1; G. O'Reilly (St. Mary's, Dundalk), 2; J. Flanagan (C.B.C., Dun Laoghaire), 3. 27 secs. Heat 4—D. Roche (Newbridge), 1; N. de Chean (Synge Street), 2; A. Lazenby (Morgan's), 3. 26 1-5 secs.

Juvenile—Heat 1—J. H. Orford (King's Hospital), 1; G. Taylor (Wesley), 2. 28 3-5 secs. Heat 2—T. Murray (Blackrock), 1; C. O'Clery (Synge Street), 2. 28 3-5 secs. Heat 3—A. W. Gill (Mountjoy), 1; F. Hopkirk (Clongowes), 2. 27 1-5 secs.

Relay Qualifiers — Senior (4 x 220 yards)—Clongowes, 1 min. 47 3-5 secs.; O'Connell, 1 min. 46 secs.; St. Mary's, Rathmines, 1 min. 47 secs. Junior (4 x 150 yards)—St. Mary's, Rathmines, 1 min. 12 secs.; Clongowes, 1 min. 9 4-5 secs.; C.B.S., Synge street, 1 min. 10 secs.

880 YARDS SENIOR.

Heat 1—B. O'Sullivan (St. Mary's, Rathmines), 1; D. B. Liddle (St. Columba's), 2; N. T. McCann (Castleknock), 3; J. Chaloner (Morgan's), 4. 2 mins. 21 4-5 secs. Heat 2—B. Caldwell (O'Connell), 1; K. Mackin (St. Mary's, Dundalk), 2; L. Browne (Synge Street), 3; J. R. Smith (High School), 4. 2 mins. 23 2-5 secs.

12lb. Shot (Senior)—E. Walsh (Clongowes), 39ft. 6ins., 1; J. McCarthy (O'Connell), 37ft. 2ins., 2; C. Collins (Blackrock), 36ft. 3ins., 3; S. McAuliffe (Newbridge), 35ft. 6ins., 4.

7lb. Shot (Junior)—E. Coolican (Clongowes), 46ft. 3ins., 1; A. Dinan (Newbridge), 41ft. 9ins., 2; T. Sweeney (O'Connell), 41ft. 5ins., 3; M. Casey (Blackrock) and H. Kelly (Castleknock) tied, 40ft. 1in., 4.

ARMY SPORT

## NEW PRESIDENT OF THE ASSOCIATION

Major-General D. McKenna, Chief of Staff, is the new President of the Army Athletic Association. Yesterday the Executive Council met at McKee Barracks after five months, when Major-General McKenna was proposed for the presidency by Major T. McGrath (Chairman). The Chairman said that the Chief of Staff had agreed to act, and, in accepting the position, expressed the view that unit officers, and commanding officers in particular, should realise the value of recreational training for the troops.

Senior championship draws and fixtures were made as follows:—

Hurling and Football—Western Command v. Southern Command, at Limerick, June 6. Hurling—Curragh v. Eastern, at Dublin, June 5. Football—Curragh v. Eastern, at Dublin, June 12. Finals—June 26.

Basket Ball—Semi-finals and final, May 15 and 16, at Curragh.

Athletics—September 8, in Dublin.

Swimming—July 24 and 25, at Curragh.

Golf and tennis will be arranged by committees.

ANGLING

## WATERVILLE, CO. KERRY

Weather conditions were milder last week, and a few visitors fished here. Principal takes (visitors): Mr. Sparrow, salmon (16lb.); Mr. C. Browne, 20 brown trout; Mr. Barker, 14 sea trout; Miss Paul, one salmon (10½lb.) and 18 brown trout; Mr. Rohan, 27 brown trout; Mr. O'Sullivan, for four days' fishing, had 126 brown trout on the Upper Lakes. Locals—Mr. James Sullivan, one salmon (12lb.); Mr. Joseph Wharton, two salmon (11½lb. and 12lb.), three sea trout (3lb. 2½lb. and 2lb.).

The second season's operations of the local renovated hatchery were again most successful. Of the 50,000 salmon ova, 20,000 sea trout ova and 15,000 brown trout ova laid down, 80, 85 and 90 per cent. respectively of the fry were liberated in the local waters—the salmon and sea trout in the Inny-Finglass and Commeragh Rivers and the tributaries of the latter, and the brown trout in Waterville, Coppal and the Upper Lakes.

## THE BUNDROWES RIVER AND LOUGH MELVIN

Fishing on the Bundrowes River, Lough Melvin, Rossinver Bay, etc., continues very good. Last week the following catches were had by anglers staying at the Hamilton Hotel, Bundoran:—Mr. B. Millar, two salmon (12lb. and 10½lb.); Mr. T. Lacey, one salmon (11½lb.); Mr. H. H. Maguire, four trout (largest 1½lb.); Master P. Harrison, two trout (largest 1½lb.); Mr. L. Mason, one salmon (8lb.); Mr. A. H. Lipsett, one salmon (12lb.).

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL

## BANKERS' CUP FINAL

HIBERNIAN ...... 5 ROYAL ............... 2

Hibernian Bank had a surprisingly easy victory over Royal Bank, who had knocked out the holders, Bank of Ireland, in the semi-final, in the final of the Bankers' Cup at Tolka Park, yesterday. Ashe scored four of the winners' goals, the other being got by Kilmurry; while Duris netted for Royal Bank.

FENCING

## EPEE CHAMPIONSHIP

The preliminary pool in the Epee championship was begun last night at Earlsfort terrace, but was not completed. G. F. Carpenter, M. H. Gorsuch and E. S. Bentley have qualified from the Cork pool for the final, which will be decided at Earlsfort terrace on Saturday.

## OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS

New 2,000 Guineas Stakes, Newmarket—Black Toni, at 3 p.m. on Monday.

THIRSK MEETING.

Gormire Handicap—Burgundian.

Hambleton Handicap—Mystery Man, Chaimo, Reynard's Lodge.

Byland Handicap—Aegisthus, Flying Scotsman II.

Thirsk Handicap—Abbe Pierre.

LEWES MEETING.

Offham Handicap—Dancing On, Toffee.

Southdown Handicap—Ballathie.

Landport Plate—Mamma filly.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Holiday Handicap, Wolverhampton—Aldine.

Belmead Stakes, Windsor—Pharamond III.

Speedy Plate, Windsor—Oil Can.

All engagements, except Sowerby Handicap, Thirsk, and Bickerton Hurdle, Wetherby—Fonds de Caisse.

All engagements in Mrs. H. G. Gierney's name—Noble Memory.

All engagements—Scribbler, Glen Dilly.

All engagements in Mr. F. E. Peck's name—Golden Luck.

LONDON BETTING

## FINAL CALL-OVER ON THE 2,000 GUINEAS

There were only minor alterations in the odds on offer against the leading candidates for the New 2,000 Guineas when the card was called over at the Victoria Club, London, last night. Djebel, a 5 to 2 chance at the previous call-over, eased to 3 to 1, and, after being backed to win £1,000, closed at 11 to 4. Lighthouse II. also was supported to win £1,000 at 3 to 1, and closed joint favourite at 11 to 4. Fair Test was in demand at 10 to 1, at which odds he was backed to win £2,000, leaving 8 to 1 the best offer. The only other supported was Tant Mieux to win £800. Prices in Newmarket Programme.

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GREYHOUND RACING

# THE PUNCHESTOWN HURDLE

## FOUR FAVOURITES SCORE AT HAROLD'S CROSS

The favourites had the better of it last night at Harold's Cross Park, four catching the judge's eye. Surround Him, in the qualifying heat in the Spring Cup, was timed 32.46 secs., and Jazz Turn did the best time—31.50 secs.—of the heat winners in the Punchestown Hurdle.

"SPRING CUP" QUALIFYING STAKE—Mr. T. Hennessy's f. b. HEDGE QUICKLY (3), 4 to 1, 1; BRILLIANT BLOOM (1), 2 to 1, 2; LEFT IN (4), 3 to 1, 3. Also ran—Cavan Lassie (5), 3 to 1; Tidy Princess (2), 2 to 1; Tearin' Wind (6), 5 to 1. Head; 1l. 32.98 secs.

"SPRING CUP" QUALIFYING STAKE (No. 2)—Mr. M. Owens's SURROUND HIM (1), 7 to 2, 1; SPORTING FLIER (3), 2 to 1, 2; SLY DASHER (6), 2 to 1, 3. Also ran—Asbestos Gent (4), 6 to 1; Ribbon Fly (5), 5 to 1; Deva Lady (2), 6 to 1. Head; 4l. 32.46 secs.

PUNCHESTOWN HURDLE—First Heat—Miss B. Dowdall's GENERAL KILDARE (3), 7 to 4, 1; PRINTER (6), evens, 2; BUSY BANDIT (1), 6 to 1, 3. Also ran—Coolcap Champ (4), 8 to 1. A short head; a distance. 31.70 secs.

Second Heat—Mr. T. Black's JAZZ TURN (3), 7 to 4 on, 1; GOLDMINES LAD (6), 4 to 1 agst., 2; PORTAIN RAVEN (4), 100 to 8, 3. Also ran—King's Gap (1), 4 to 1. Distance; 1l. 31.50 secs.

Third Heat—Mr. Wright's LAWYER'S BOUQUET (3), 5 to 4 on, 1; HULTOI'S LAST (4), 3 to 1 agst., 2; SLIEVENALICKA (1), 2 to 1, 3. 2l.; 4l. 31.55 secs.

Fourth Heat—Mr. W. Fahy's BIT OF GAIETY (3), evens, 1; MOUNTAIN OYSTER (6), 5 to 1, 2; FIALLACH (4), 5 to 2, 3. Also ran—Moon Banker (1), 2 to 1. 6l.; 1l. 31.58 secs.

HAROLD'S CROSS PLATE—Master M. N. Brogan's BALTRAY BOY (1), 5 to 4, 1; GLENMAHON BLONDE (4), 3 to 1, 2; EFFETA (6), 4 to 1, 3. Also ran—Altona Captain (3), 7 to 1; Anne's Gem (5), 4 to 1; Liffey Lady (2), 6 to 1. 2l.; 4l. 32.80 secs.

## SHELBOURNE PARK—TO-NIGHT

8.45.—525 YARDS—Castle Pink, Bumps a Daisy, Roving Mandate, Ae's Selected, Big Bob, Brother Asset, Clooncen War Lord, Doctor's Car.

525 YARDS HURDLES—Loon Lassie, Buzzaway Kitty, Baytown Champion, More and More, Red Bogey, Battling Kid.

360 YARDS—Carrick Porter, Kyloch Chief, Roaring Ned, Dashing Lad, Silver Dodge, Free Moleskin, Andrew's Banker.

525 YARDS—Two Bright Eyes, Castle Sheelin, Negro's Champion, Jolly Hokey, Peerless Tony, Kilnagiory Prince, Thrift, Lynn Laddie.

525 YARDS—Mullingar Mick, Mr. March, Glesquin Charger, Fitting Tribute, Poteen King, Ceaithen, Gritty Bit, Dark Renown.

525 YARDS—Dark Hills, Tower at Home, Negro's Crown, Beefy Councillor, Cheerful Town, Feather Breeze, Handy Shot, Meteor.

525 YARDS—Airgead Geal, Suncroft Beauty, Miss Wendy, Negro's Brilliant, Green Street Maid, The Little Tap Dancer, Moon's Chance, Wilful Kid.

## CURRAGH SELECTIONS

Our Curragh Correspondent's selections for Punchestown to-day are:—

Bishopscourt Cup—Rathcoffey.

Downshire Plate—Gera Prince.

La Touche Memorial Cup—Golden Ivy.

Conyngham Cup—Pontet, 1; Russ, 2; My Branch, 3.

Ladies' Cup—Glenidol.

Kildare Hunt Plate—Brown Joker.

# REPLY TO CLAIM BY MANAGER

## FIXING OF SALARY DENIED

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE HANNA.)

The case for the defence was opened in the action brought by Thomas Dennehy, Ranalough, Currow, Co. Kerry, against the Dairy Disposals Company, Ltd., 33 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, claiming damages for alleged breach of an agreement whereby, he stated, the company agreed to employ him as manager of the Dicksgrove group of creameries in Kerry as long as the creameries should be owned and operated by the company. Alternatively, he sought damages for alleged wrongful dismissal in July, 1937.

The company denied that it was agreed that Mr. Dennehy's employment should continue for a defined period, and pleaded that he had been guilty of breach of duty and acts prejudicial to the company's interests, which entitled them to terminate his employment.

Mr. Lavery, K.C., for the company, said that there was no suggestion that Mr. Dennehy had not done the work of producing and selling butter well, but he would not act under his employers' orders. His truculent attitude towards officers of the company and the directors when an inquiry was conducted in May, 1937, finally convinced them that there was no hope of Mr. Dennehy's relations with the board becoming such as would enable the company's business to be done in a proper way.

Referring to Mr. Dennehy's claim that he was entitled to a salary rising from £600 to £750, Mr. Lavery said that the company's intention in acquiring these creameries from Mr. Dennehy and others in 1928 was that co-operative societies should be formed to take over the creameries as soon as possible. The company had not contemplated holding the creameries for longer than a year, and it was, therefore, impossible that any of their officers could have considered fixing a salary for Mr. Dennehy which would increase at the end of five years. Although Mr. Dennehy was directed to draw his salary of £550 monthly or quarterly he persisted in drawing it for broken periods.

Dealing with allegations that Mr. Dennehy had sold butter under the statutory minimum price, Mr. Lavery said that Mr. Dennehy had been warned that the company was in a peculiar position as a semi-governmental institution, and that they must keep the law, and that any failure to do so would mean instant dismissal of the employé concerned.

Mr. Lavery said that Mr. Dennehy should have notified his board regarding summonses against him alleging that he had sold butter below the statutory minimum price, although the prosecution was eventually withdrawn. The fact that those summonses were pending was concealed from an accountant who was looking into Mr. Dennehy's books on the company's behalf at the time.

Concluding, Mr. Lavery said that he would not suggest that Mr. Dennehy should have been dismissed because of any one of the incidents to which he had referred, but the cumulative effect of those incidents gave them importance.

The further hearing was adjourned.

With Mr. Lavery were Mr. R. McGonigal, K.C., and Mr. T. G. Marnan (instructed by Messrs. A. Cox and Co.); Mr. J. M. FitzGerald, K.C., Mr. J. A. Costello, K.C., T.D., and Mr. T. K. Liston (instructed by Mr. T. O'Neill) appeared for Mr. Dennehy.

# WOMAN'S INJURY IN THEATRE

(BEFORE THE CHIEF JUSTICE, MR. JUSTICE MURNAGHAN, MR. JUSTICE MEREDITH, MR. JUSTICE GEOGHEGAN, AND MR. JUSTICE O'BYRNE.)

The meaning and effect of the findings of a jury on the question of liability and how far there was evidence to support one of these findings were the issues in an appeal which was brought on behalf of Mrs. Margaret O'Connor, "Hylton," St. Kevin's Parade, South Circular road, Dublin, from the verdict and judgment given for the Capitol Theatre, Ltd., Dublin, in her action against the theatre for damages for injuries suffered by her as the result of her having fallen down steps in the theatre on June 23 last.

The hearing was adjourned.

Mr. J. M. FitzGerald, K.C., Mr. Kevin Dixon, K.C., and Mr. W. O'B. Fitzgerald (instructed by Mr. John Grogan) appeared for Mrs. O'Connor; and Mr. Frank FitzGibbon, K.C., Mr. George C. Cullinan, K.C., and Mr. Ernest M. Wood (instructed by Messrs. Milward Jones, Mayne and Sharpe) for the Capitol Theatre, Ltd.

Mr. Dixon said that the damages or the injuries were not in issue in any way.

# MINISTER LOSES APPEALS

## LEGAL STATUS OF "OUTWORKERS"

## TAILORING TRADE DECISION

(BEFORE THE CHIEF JUSTICE, MR. JUSTICE MURNAGHAN, MR. JUSTICE MEREDITH, AND MR. JUSTICE GEOGHEGAN.)

The appeals of the Minister for Industry and Commerce from orders of the High Court on two cases stated by District Justice Lennon, Dublin, on summonses for alleged contravention of the Conditions of Employment Act, 1936, and regulations made under it, were dismissed with costs, the court being of opinion that, on the face of the statement signed by the District Justice, the cases were stated pursuant to Section 83 of the Courts of Justice Act, 1924, as amended by Section 56 of the Courts of Justice Act, 1936, they had no jurisdiction to hear the appeals.

The appeals, which raised the question of the meaning of the expression "outworker," in the Act, were stated to be in the nature of test appeals. The District Justice had asked the High Court was he right in dismissing summonses against Mrs. Elizabeth Healy, Ontario terrace, Portobello, Dublin, and Marks Rubenstein, 94 South Circular road, Dublin, in respect of alleged contravention of the Act. The High Court, by a majority of two against one, had held that the District Justice was right, and the Minister appealed to the Supreme Court.

The appeals had been opened before the Supreme Court and were allowed to stand, the Chief Justice expressing doubt that the court had jurisdiction to hear them. The cases stated, he said, had come before the High Court pursuant to Section 83 of the Courts of Justice Act, 1924, as amended by Section 56 of the Courts of Justice Act, 1936. Section 83 provided for the determination of a question of law before a decision was given by the District Justice, and the decision of the High Court was not appealable. Section 56 gave the right of appeal to the Supreme Court by leave of the High Court. The cases stated here did not come before the Supreme Court in that way. The District Justice had actually given his decision on the issues involved, and then stated a case at the request of the complainant. In those circumstances the procedure should have been under Section 6 of the Summary Jurisdiction Act, 1857, but it would appear that on consent the High Court had treated the appeals as being under the Summary Jurisdiction Act. He did not think that that consent conferred jurisdiction on the Supreme Court to entertain these appeals. The court would give counsel for the appellant an opportunity to consider the matter, and the case would appear in the list at a later date for argument.

### POINT NOT RAISED

Mr. Kevin Dixon, K.C., who, with Mr. C. O'Daly (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor) appeared for the Minister, now said that the defendants did not raise this point, and their attitude in the High Court had been one of consent to the cases stated as having been stated under the Summary Jurisdiction Act. The Supreme Court should treat the cases as having been stated under the appropriate statute, the High Court having done so with the consent of the parties.

The Chief Justice, giving judgment, said that it had been suggested that possibly this matter might be set right if the cases were again brought before the District Justice, and if the District Justice were asked to make a note to the effect that he had intended to state the case under the Summary Jurisdiction Act. No such application had been made, and the cases now were in exactly the same position as when they first came before the Supreme Court.

He was of opinion that, on the face of the statement signed by the District Justice, those were cases stated under the Courts of Justice Act, under which no appeal lay to the Supreme Court from a decision of the High Court. The appeals should be dismissed.

The other judges agreed.

Mr. Cawley, K.C., and Mr. P. McGilligan (instructed by Messrs. O'Hanlon and Robinson) appeared for Mrs. Healy; and Mr. Cawley, K.C., and Mr. Joshua Baker (instructed by Mr. B. Bernstein) for Mr. Rubenstein.

# LEVIES TO BE PAID TO MINISTER

## IMPORTANT POINT DECIDED

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE MARTIN MAGUIRE.)

Judgment was given for £25 5s., and costs, in favour of the Minister for Agriculture, in his appeal from a decision of the Circuit Judge at Westport, dismissing his claim against John Gallagher, butcher, Dugort, Achill, Co. Mayo, for £71 12s. 6d., the amount of levy certified to be due by Mr. Gallagher to the Minister from 12th December, 1934, to July, 1936, under the provisions of the Slaughter of Cattle and Sheep Act, 1934.

It appeared that during the operation of the Act Mr. Gallagher kept records of all slaughterings on his registered premises, and paid the levies which had been assessed on him, and in respect of which certificates were issued. On 12th February, 1937, after the Act had ceased to operate, the Department of Agriculture wrote Mr. Gallagher, stating that the returns he had furnished did not show the full numbers of cattle and sheep slaughtered by him during the relevant period, and claiming additional levies. Mr. Gallagher repudiated the debt, and in January, 1939, the Department issued further certificates in respect of the amounts finally claimed to be ascertained as

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due by Mr. Gallagher, and demanded payment, giving him credit for the amounts already paid. Mr. Gallagher again repudiated the debt on 9th January, 1939, and proceedings were begun in the Circuit Court the following August. The Circuit Judge dismissed the claim, holding that the later certificates purported to be amending certificates, and that there was no provision for issuing such in the Act.

The Minister appealed to the High Court on Circuit, at Castlebar, and the matter was adjourned for further argument to Dublin.

Giving judgment, Mr. Justice Maguire said that he was of opinion that there was no power under the statute to revoke the first certificates and issue new ones. In regard to certain periods in respect of which the defendant had made no returns of animals slaughtered, he was of opinion that the Minister was entitled to succeed. The certificates had been made in respect of those periods, and had not been challenged by the defendant in evidence. The Minister would, therefore, succeed in respect of those periods, for which no second certificates had been issued, and there would be a decree for £25 5s., with costs in both courts.

Mr. W. H. Carson, K.C., and Mr. D. McDonagh (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor) appeared for the Minister; and Mr. Paul McCarthy, K.C., and Mr. E. C. Micks (instructed by Messrs. Garvey and Smith) for Mr. Gallagher.

DUBLIN CIRCUIT COURT

## £250 DAMAGES

(BEFORE JUDGE DAVITT.)

Henry Hardaway, Patrick street, Dublin, was awarded £250 and costs against Charles T. Fitzgerald, Connolly avenue, Inchicore, for personal injuries sustained by him on Sundrive road, Kimmage, when his bicycle and the motor car of the defendant came into collision in October, 1938.

Mr. Ivor Barry (instructed by Messrs. Lane Joynt and Walker) appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. S. Crivon (instructed by Messrs. Harris and Leon) appeared for the defendant.

# LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

## BACK TO BALLYPOREEN

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—No one, least of all an Irishman, likes to write about his private life and publish intimate details of his own family, their misfortunes and trials. If I do so now, it is only because I wish that my experience may be a warning to others, and that any simple country lad who is lured by the lights of the city may profit by my example and my story.

Some time back I told your readers how I sold my fine farm at Ballyporeen and came to live in the suburbs with my brother Frank. I did not tell you the sequel. The whole thing was a ghastly mistake.

I was not long living with Frank before I found he had picked up with as motley a collection of friends as you would meet at an international congress of the P.E.N. Club. Their talk was of nothing but the workers, democracy, liberty, the baricades, the crackling of rifles, the new Messiah and the new Republic.

My dear brother also kept up a running correspondence with an elderly duchess, an Anglican Dean, a few unfrocked curates and half a dozen Oxford Dons, not to speak of a French millionaire who had "interests" in a munition factory in Russia.

Among Frank's new friends there was one fellow I did not like at all. He stayed with us in the spare room in our flat at Rathmines—the few times he passed through Ireland. The little I saw of him was more than enough. He was as conceited as a coxcomb, spoke in an offhand way of what he told the Mikado, King Carol, Chamberlain and half a dozen crowned heads and Prime Ministers. He used a kind of sparrow jargon and was always flipping, flitting or flopping somewhere. Nor was his behaviour much better than a sparrow's, for he spent most of his time hanging around eaves, peering through fanlights, squinting through chinks or listening at key-holes. And I did not like the company he kept at all, at all.

One of his great cronies was an old washerwoman of Prague. She had a niece a nursery maid at Munich. This lassie was sweet on a pantry boy at Berchtesgaden, a young imp, who, I regret to say, had side whiskers and was always tippling in the pantry at the Fuehrer's liquor.

With such a scamp round the house I need not tell you all Hitler's artless talk and goings on were soon known to the nursery maid, and Mr. Flyfast had it all next post or two from the old washerwoman of Prague. And, of course, Prakinson's Gazette would come out with a splash: "The Fuehrer Interviews Our Special Correspondent in Germany."

To tell you the truth, I was not long in Dublin before I began to mistrust Frank and all his friends, and to think there were a few homespun truths in my napper that were better than all Frank's grand theories.

On a day while I was in this mood, as Frank and I were walking through the Pine Forest, I resolved to have it out with him and relieve my mind. "Why is it, Frank," I said, "you cannot see the wood for the trees?"

"Why are you always reading the stars and walking into the dyke?"

"Why are you always chasing happiness, yet never allow yourself to be happy?"

"Why do you look for Utopia everywhere save where it is all around you?"

"Why do you try to spin cucumbers out of sunbeams and make manna from the East wind when you have cucumbers and manna at your feet?"

"Why are you always thinking of the city, of brick walls, cement roads and flagged streets, of machines and screws and bolts, which are as barren as gold; and why do you despise Ballyporeen, which bears everything man wants—milk and honey, butter, bacon, wool, flax, timber, beef, mutton and a hundred different kinds of fruit and vegetables?"

But my dear brother could not endure the name of our old home. He flew into a rage. "Ballyporeen," he cried; "forget these clodhoppers and country bumpkins. This grave new world we are making is not for the likes of them. We will build here a new Jerusalem—fit only for heroes, factory girls and supermen."

The longer I was in Dublin the more sure I was that I had made a great mistake. I was not going to let Frank have it all his own way, and I button-holed him again and said:—

"Frank, why are you taken in by all these charlatans and their talk of the proletariat, the new Republic and the new Jerusalem? Can't you see by their hands none of these fellows ever did a workman's day's work. In Ballyporeen we would do more in one hour digging turf than all these fine buckos in six lifetimes. What does Mr. Flyfast in his aeroplane know about simple country people like ourselves in Germany, Italy or France? About as much or less than the crow that flies over them. Take my word for it, Frank, your duchesses, deans and Oxford dons will bring some terrible calamity on the world some day." But my brother would have none of it, and replied:—

"You see, Pat, you are a simple, ignorant country lad just lately come to the suburbs. You will not even begin to know what we are talking about till you have taken in *The New Statesman* for two years and read Mr. Gollancz's 'Hundred Best Books.' Till then, hold your tongue and listen to your Betters."

That's all very well, I said to myself, but it is no argument. I have heard more wisdom in one hour from the widow Mulligan over her half-door or from Dinny Duggan over his dhudeen than from all these fine pink literary gents all the time I have been in Dublin.

Though my new friends managed to exist tolerably well on gas and dreams, I could not live for ever on high talk and fine theories, so I cast around me for a job and answered an advertisement in an evening paper. Through the advertisement I met a most delightful little man, a mild mannered, lovable, kindly old gentleman, who said he had come over here at great personal inconvenience and expense to help the Irish industrialise this country. He put up such a fine scheme (that is the correct word, I believe) that I thought I would never run to the bank fast enough to draw out my money and invest it in a partnership with my new friend.

I will not worry you with my business venture. You will read all about it in a little book commissioned by the United Free Press of Great Britain and Ireland under the title "What Advertising Did for Me." By the time my business was finished I envied the hens in Ballyporeen their spats.

I borrowed a shirt and trousers from a friend and began life all over again.

I need not tell you it is no joke starting life in Dublin with no money, in a borrowed trousers and shirt. Nor will I harass your feelings telling you of what I endured tramping through the city looking for work. A Redemptorist Missioner's picture of hell and purgatory never came near what I suffered. I slept in doss-houses, dumps, hostels, shelters and park benches. I had almost given up hope and was thinking of making a hole in the Liffey some night when a most unexpected change came in my fortunes.

One morning as I was in Capel Street Free Library searching the newspapers for a likely three-penny double up on the 2.30, my eyes almost fell out of my head on seeing my own name in large black letters. Someone had offered a reward to anyone giving information of my whereabouts. At first I thought it was a ruse by my late business partner to get hold of my shirt and trousers, but on going to the newspaper office I got such a shock that you could have knocked me down with a feather.

My cousin (to whom I had sold the farm for a song) had died and left me the whole place—lock, stock and barrel—as a free gift.

I later heard that he had scruples about the way it fell to him. Anyone, he said, who dressed hens in spats, who dismantled an old sundial that never needed repairs and never lost a second in two hundred years and exchanged it for an old clock that was two hours slow for much of the year, and needed constant mending, was not in his sound mind. In any event, anyone who left a fine farm in the country to come and live in the suburbs was clean daft.

When I left the newspaper office I felt the flags rising before me like velvet pile. I could have walked on thistle down. I wrote home to old Darby to have the pony and trap tackled and meet the 5.30 next day at the New Line.

No monarch returning from exile had a heart half as glad as mine when I got off at Drombane Station to drive the four miles to my old farm.

It was a beautiful evening in August, and men, women and children were in the fields tramming the hay or gathering the corn into sheaves. As Darby and I drove along the well-remembered road I called to mind every hawthorn bush and primrose bank. And what a home-coming! It was nothing but "God bless you, Dan," "And you, too, Pat, and welcome back to Ballyporeen," "God bless the work," "And you, too, Pat, and may you live long to enjoy it." When I came round the bend at the "Three Elms," and saw my old home, the modest acre where my dear father and mother sleep. And the little church under the grove, tears rose in my eyes. At that moment the sun seemed to shine with a greater brightness, and as the chime of bells broke through the holy silence of that summer's evening, and echoed all over the golden valley, I was filled with joy and felt I was standing at the gates of Paradise.

When I entered the house I found everything as I left it. Saint Patrick was still over the dresser, chasing the snakes and the evil things of which we have heard so much lately. Parnell and the bold Robert, in sword and plume, mounted guard over the gun and fishing rod on the side wall. Mary Ellen was full-blast at the bellows and the turf was red hot on the hearth.

Darby had laid in a half-barrel of porter and a gallon of mountain dew, and all the friends and neighbours came—Hickey, the returned Yank; the widow Quilty, the old soldier, Dan Ourly, with his tales of Injah, and all the Ryans came, too—Ryan Rufus, the Ryan Sovs, Ryan minor, Ryan chicken, Ryan Eileen, Ryan pisheens, Ryan minogues, the Ryans of Kiloora and the Ryans of Crecora. Blind William brought his fiddle and played jigs and reels and old airs, but of all his tunes we liked best "The lark in the clear air," "Sweet Ballyporeen," and "The wind that shakes the barley."

I thought the morning would never break for me to visit old places I had loved so well—the little brook, with its bed of polished stones, where Frank and I were wont to bathe; the popular tree we climbed, birdnesting; the grove where we shot woodcocks; and as I came home through the kitchen garden I stood in front of the old sundial and made a vow we two would never part, and I prayed it might measure out time for two hundred years for me and mine, even as it had done for six generations of my fathers before me.

There is no need for me to bother you much more with my adventures. We lead a quiet, uneventful, and therefore happy, life down here. Nothing ever happens in Ballyporeen.

God has been very good to me and I have married a great woman. At turning a gridle cake, stripping a heifer, or handling a fork in the meadow there is not her beating in the six parishes. She is more helpful to me round the farm than a Kerry spalpeen, who would eat for a meal a big platefull of pig's cheek and cabbage and half his own weight of buttermilk and new spuds.

I have two lovely children, a fine, strapping, raw-boned, handsome lad (everyone says he is the dead spit of myself), six years of age, and a little girl three years old.

Dan Hayes often comes in of an evening for a pipe and cup of tea and a bite of the griddle cake. Dan is as comfortable a man as there is in the barony. He has a snug farm, a tidy bit in the bank, and an only child, four years, a bouncing, buxom girl (God bless her), with a pair of legs on her firm and strong as a young bullock's.

Every Sunday, too, Dan and I meet in the chapel yard after Mass, and as we gossip and look at the children playing we exchange a knowing wink as much as to say: "They might go farther and fare worse"; or "There might be a tidy bit coming to Father John some day, if God spares him the health."

Here, as I sit writing on this fresh, balmy April evening, I am at peace with my Maker and all men. I owe no man a penny. The ditches and dykes are all scoured. The spring ploughing is finished, and the new earth is ripe for the grain. The young lambs are frisking in the fields. The birds are mating in the trees. The blossom is just bursting from the bud, and my wife is again expecting.

When I walk around my farm and view my possessions I do not envy the King of England his throne. Hitler may rant and the Duce may foam and Stalin may shake his fist, Chamberlain and Daladier may come or go: I warrant the little monarchy at Ballyporeen will outlast them all.

I have almost forgotten the big city and its din and clatter. Now and again I dream of it, but when I have a real bad nightmare, and wake up of a start all lathered in sweat and my hair standing on end, it isn't of the houses falling on me or of the crowds trampling me or of the horseless coaches running wild through the streets I do be dreaming, but of a kindly, mild-mannered little gentleman who said he left his own country at great personal inconvenience and expense to teach the Irish modern business methods.

Now, sir, you will be wanting to hear something of my dear brother Frank. Two years ago he sailed for Mexico. The last news we had of him was six months since from Patagonia, where he has picked up with a troop of Red Indians, half breeds and German refugees, and was heading an expedition to sail up the Amazon in search of the New Messiah, the New Jerusalem, the New Atlantis, the New Arcadia, the New Republic and Utopia.

Anyone who likes may have these and New Time, too, if he wants it.

I have had my lesson.

Give me Old Time and old times, sweet Ballyporeen—and peace in our day, O Lord.—Yours, etc.,

JOHN BRASK.

Dublin, April 27th, 1940.

## THE FEIS CEOIL

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—I would like to express through your columns my dissatisfaction at the arrangements of the Feis Ceoil Committee or whoever was responsible for the management of the Children's Vocal Trios on Tuesday afternoon, April 30th.

The adjudicator, having arrived from twenty to twenty-five minutes late for the competition, the children were told to sing one only of the prescribed songs, regardless of whether they might have been a match for any professional trio you like in their second song.

So much for the children's point of view, which is, naturally, the more important. But I was annoyed myself at having had to pay a shilling for three-quarters of an hour's singing, and that of one song, whereas I might have been able to fit in an hour and a quarter had the competition begun punctually. It would be of advantage if the interest of those who are not entirely at leisure should be consulted by strict adherence to a time-table.—Yours, etc.,

H. M. TOBIAS.

18 The Stiles road, Howth road, Dublin, April 30th, 1940.

## TRINITY COLLEGE NOTES

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—Either your Trinity College correspondent or his reading public is being hoaxed. Between 1593 and 1848 there were but three Mortimers on the books of the College. Robert Mortimer entered in 1775 and took degree in 1780; William Mortimer entered in 1813 and took degree in 1818, while a Richard Mortimer entered in 1819 and did not take degree.—Yours, etc.,

EOIN O'MAHONY.

Dún Meadhon, Cork, April 29th, 1940.

## DUBLIN-MADE CLOCK 130 YEARS OLD

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, 1940.


## AUCTIONS.

THIS WEDNESDAY EVENING, at 6.30,
IN THE DIVISIONAL AUCTION ROOMS, 8 MERCHANT'S QUAY
(OPPOSITE FOUR COURTS).
ANNUAL SALE BY AUCTION OF
CAMERAS, PRISM AND FIELD GLASSES, TENNIS RACQUETS, FISHING RODS, JEWELLERY, ETC., from
KELLY'S, 8 WESTMORELAND STREET, Corner of Fleet Street,
COMPRISING 5 DOZEN OF CAMERAS, including ZEISS SUPER IKONTA, COUPLED RANGE-FINDER, SUPER BALDINA PHOTAVIT, 2 DOZEN OF PRISM AND FIELD GLASSES (by ZEISS and others), Fishing Rods, Tennis Racquets, Golf Clubs. Also Gold, Silver and P.C. Pocket and Wrist Watches, Gold Alberts, Brooches, etc.; Silver, Plated Ware and other Miscellaneous Lots.
N.B.—ON VIEW AT AUCTION ROOMS THIS DAY (WEDNESDAY) from 11 o'c. to 5.30. SALE at 6.30.

L. GARLAND, M.I.A.A.,
Auctioneer and Valuer, 8 MERCHANT'S QUAY.

AUCTION TO-DAY (WEDNESDAY), at 2.30 p.m.,
IN PROPERTY SALEROOMS, 1 GRAFTON STREET
(As previously advertised, and if not disposed of privately),
"HOLLYBROOK PARK," HOLLYBROOK PARK, AND 91A HOWTH ROAD
(together as one lot or "Hollybrook Park" by itself).
Vacant possession of "Hollybrook Park," 91A Howth road, let at £71 10s. per year, inclusive.
NOS. 2, 6, 8 & 10 TEMPLEOGUE ROAD, TERENURE.
Convenient lot of property. Two of the Houses with vacant possession, and two let, producing total gross rental of £93 12s. 0d. Will be offered in three lots.
AUCTIONEERS: CORRIGAN & CO.

ON VIEW TO-DAY from 12 o'clock. SALE TO-MORROW,
13 LEA ROAD, SANDYMOUNT.
FURNITURE, PIANOFORTE, ETC.
Including:—Chesterfield Suite in Silk Tapestry, Sets of Chairs, Barometer, Wall Mirror, Paintings and Pictures, Mahogany Enclosed Sideboard with mirror back, Revolving Bookstand, Lounge Chairs, Mahogany Extending Diningroom Table, Fire Sets, Mahogany Bureau and Bookcase, Pianoforte in Walnut Case, etc.
Walnut Bedroom Suites, Modern Wooden Bedsteads, with Spring and Hair Mattresses and Bedding; Toilet Mirrors, Commode Chair, Duchesse Toilet Table, Chests of Drawers, Carpets and Linoleum, Hall Stand, Kitchen Furniture and Utensils.
JAMES H. NORTH & CO., Auctioneers, 110 GRAFTON ST.

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### HORSES, HARNESS, VEHICLES.

WE carry splendid selection of all horse-drawn Vehicles: Traps, Tubs, Rallies, Gigs, Market Vans; a few Side-Cars, in perfect condition; also Painting and Repairs; Lamps, Cushions, Axles, Springs, Wheels, Harness.—McSweeney and Sons, Pope's quay, Cork. 25 13

### STABLING AND GRAZING.

WANTED near Dublin, small Paddock, with Stable; state rent and all particulars.—H 1493, this office. 29 E

### DOGS.

AT Pynecot Dog Shop, South King street, Dublin—Everything for the Dog. Telephone 51613. T

BEAUTIFUL Black Cocker Pups for Sale; by Irish Padson; prices reasonable.—Gilpin, Portarlington. 26 D

CAIRN Bitch, 18 months, for Sale, pedigree; £1 to good home. Apply Thos. Clarke, Swellan, Cavan.

CHAMPION Pedigree English Setter Bitch, registered; cheap; approval.—Box No. 1179, Irish Times Branch Office, Cork.

FOR Sale, pedigree Labrador Dog, 2nd season, fully trained; a good worker and excellent water dog; sold only to make room for young entry. Apply The McGillycuddy, Beaufort, County Kerry. 25 X

WANTED fully trained, young Labrador Dog; state price and breeding. Address "Z 4928, Dog," this office.

### CATS.

WANTED, Male Siamese Kitten, or would take Female in kitten.—Robertson, Compass Hill, Kinsale, Co. Cork.

### BUSINESS, BUSINESS PREMISES, LANDS, ETC.

ADJOINING Wicklow street—Large Shop and Premises overhead, rent £250 and rates.—Jackson Stops and McCabe, 35 Kildare street.

BUSINESS Premises, as going concern or vacant possession, most central in city; low rent; for Sale at reasonable price.—H 1545, this office. 29 E

BUSINESS Premises, Grocery, Confectionery, News-agency, etc., as Going Concern; North city; moderate rent; for Sale at reasonable price.—H 1593, this office.

EXTENSIVE Business Premises for Sale; splendid living accommodation; suit any business; important market town, Midlands.—H 1501, this office. 29 C

FOR Letting, a Warehouse, three storeys in height, 1,000 feet on each floor; within a hundred yards of Dame street; rent £160 per annum.—H 1587, this office. 30 F

GEORGE'S street, Dun Laoghaire—To be Let, Business Premises, consisting of shop and upper part. First class position. Terms and arrangements to view, apply James H. North and Co., Agents, 110 Grafton street.

LARGE Factory Premises, or for stores or garage; close to Butt Bridge; rent £200 a year and taxes.—H 1386, this office. 26 C

MILL, suitable for saw mill or oatmeal grinding, for Sale, Coolrain, near Mountrath.—Neill Watson, 58a Harcourt street, Dublin. 30 D

OFFICE, first floor, Bewley's Abbey Chambers, to Let.—94/96 Middle Abbey street. 30 F

OFFICES to Let.—17 Merrion Row. 30 F

SHOP in excellent position, with living accommodation overhead; recently vacated.—5 Tara street. 26 C

TO be Let, an excellent Store, in the heart of the city; 1,650 feet superficial area; substantially built, new roof; rent £170 per annum.—H 1588, this office. 30 F

### HOUSES AND LANDS FOR SALE.

**EXECUTORS' SALE**

AN exceptionally fine detached, non-basement Residence of handsome design and convenient lay-out, equipped in a most complete manner, occupying a choice situation in the best residential part of the South Suburbs. The rooms are beautifully proportioned, and comprise 3 reception, 5 bedrooms, dressingroom, 2 bathrooms, maid's room, etc. Double Garage, Conservatory and Greenhouse. Attractive Gardens. Particulars from the Auctioneers,
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9 rooms and boarded kitchen; newly overhauled; 90 years' lease. Ground Rent, £14. Valuation, £80. Price, £1,050. 'Phone 427 Ballsbridge, or apply "St. Andrew's," Serpentine avenue, Ballsbridge.

FOR SALE OR TO LET.
RATHMULLAN HOUSE,
CO. DONEGAL.
Freehold. Ideal situation Strand. In own grounds. Suitable private residence, hotel, etc.
HARKIN, Agent, LONDONDERRY. 28 C

ABANDON House-Hunting—Consult Garvey and Good, Auctioneers, Lincoln place. 'Phone 62468. 6 X

ALBERT MacARTHUR, The Housefinder, MacArthur House, D'Olier street. Telephone, 76754 (2 lines). T

ADAM Offers—Victoria avenue, Donnybrook: compact, non basement residence; 2 sitting, 5 bedrooms; low outgoings; Selling cheap. Apply 17 Merrion Row. 26 C

AILESBURY Park—Excellent brick built House, £1,800.—Arthur Jones and Son, 10 Stephen's Green. 26 C

AT Dalkey, Glenageary and Shankill—Detached Bungalows, £825; Bray, on sea, £950; Sandycove, pretty Cottage, £750; Dalkey, detached, basementless Residence; bargain.—Meagher, Sandycove. 26 C

ALL brick House, Casra Park; vacant possession; 7 apartments, scullery, separate w.c. and bath; £650. Apply 44 Clare road, Drumcondra. 29 E

AUCTION Sale by Albert MacArthur, The Housefinder, on Tuesday, 14th May, will include:— 26 C

HOUSE and Furniture—Executor's Sale, 8 Parkview place, Irishtown, 6 apartments, bath (h. and c.), Selling on premises, 12 o'clock, Wednesday, 8th May.—Albert MacArthur, The Housefinder. 26 C

AUCTION Sale—Non-basement, red brick House, 8 Ashdale road, Terenure, 2 reception, 4 bedrooms, etc. Auction, 14th May.—Albert MacArthur, The Housefinder. 26 C

AUCTION Sale, Killiney, [illegible] Residence, splendidly situated, modern House; low reserve. Auction, 14th May.—Albert MacArthur, The Housefinder. 26 C

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CASTLEWOOD AVE.
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STORE CATTLE SALE,
TO-MORROW (THURSDAY),
AT 11 A.M. PROMPT.
Entries comprise a large and varied selection of all classes consigned direct from the feeders, including some grand lots of aged Shorthorn, Hereford and A.A.X. bullocks, etc.
15 good Cheviot Ewes with 30 Lambs at foot will be sold immediately before store cattle.
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STORE CATTLE SALE,
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### HOUSES AND LANDS CONTINUED.

AUCTION Sale—28 and 29 New Bride street (No. 29 vacant), seven apartments, etc.; 28 let at £42 12/- per annum; excellent investment; Sell separately. Auction, 14th May.—Albert MacArthur, The Housefinder. 26 C

AUCTION Sale—Small Hairdressing Saloon, established 40 years, 9 Lower Grand Canal street. Shop and store vacant, remainder let. Auction, 14th May.—Albert MacArthur, The Housefinder. 26 C

AUCTION Sale—Small House, 97 Fitzroy avenue, Drumcondra, 4 apartments, etc. Auction, 14th May.—Albert MacArthur, The Housefinder. 26 C

AUCTION Sale, facing Phoenix Park—Small, detached House, "Fountain Lodge," 1 Chapelizod road, choice position, 6 rooms. Auction, May 14th.—Albert MacArthur, The Housefinder. 26 C

AUCTION Sale—Printed particulars free on application.—Albert MacArthur, The Housefinder, D'Olier street. Telephone, 76754 (2 lines). 26 C

A DETACHED, non-basement Residence, standing on 16 acres, main Enniskerry road, containing lounge hall, 3 reception, 4 bedrooms; freehold, rates £19.—Jackson Stops and McCabe, 35 Kildare street. 30 F

AUCTION—19 Windsor road, Rathmines; well built, pre-war House, off Palmerston road; vacant possession. Sale, Thursday, 2nd May.—Battersby's Salerooms, 2.30 o'clock. X

BARGAIN—£1,250; owner must sell; Residence, on 12 acres, 2 building frontages; big orchard, heating plant, out offices, etc. Keys, Connolly, 3 Lincoln place. 26 C

BLACKROCK—Semi-detached, modern House, close to Blackrock College and Sion Hill, containing 2 reception, 4 bedrooms, kitchen, h. and c. bath, good garden, garage, electric light and gas. Seen on our order.—Thos. Dockrell, Sons and Co., Ltd., Agents. 29 E

BALLSBRIDGE—Lounge hall, 2 reception, study, 4 bedrooms, maid's room, bathroom; low outgoings; £1,325.—Jackson Stops and McCabe, 35 Kildare street. 30 F

BUSHY Park Road, No. 38—Modern, Semi Detached; 2 reception and 5 bedrooms, usual appointments, garage; P.L.V. £30, ground rent £13; can be seen any day after 11.30 a.m.; excellent House. 28 X

BLACKROCK—"Springfield," Rowan Park avenue; charming, detached, Bungalow style Residence; attractive garden, garage. Selling by Auction, 20th May. To view, apply James Adam and Sons, 17 Merrion Row. 30 F

BATTERSBY'S offer Houses in every locality at specially attractive prices nowadays.—Thirty-nine Westmoreland street. 12 1

BALLSBRIDGE—£1,250, semi-detached, pre-war, brick House, 8 rooms; garden, garage.—Battersby, Thirty-nine Westmoreland street. 27 X

COTTAGE, four rooms; lovely situation, 1½ miles Glen of the Downs; garage, water; four acres, attractive garden; £900. Address "Z 4859, Cottage," this office. 26 C

CO. Wicklow—Compact, non-basement, modernised Residence; charming garden; choice position; 6 acres; freehold; on 'bus route.—Hamilton and Hamilton, Ltd., 60 Dawson street. 29 E

CONSUELO, 27 Cowper road, Rathmines—Splendidly built, detached, pre-war, red brick Residence, with nice gardens, situated close to Dartry; 2 reception rooms, service pantry, 4 family bedrooms, dressing-room, maid's room, bathroom, etc.; garage. Auction, Wednesday, 15th May, at 2.30.—Hamilton and Hamilton, Ltd., 60 Dawson street. 29 X

CLOGHAN Castle, Co. Offaly, is the Historic Irish Mansion featured in the "Weekly Irish Times" to-day. Price twopence. 30 F

DUNDRUM—Detached, on over two acres; three reception rooms, five bedrooms, two bathrooms (h. and c.), well stocked garden, garage, gate lodge, tennis court; price £1,850.—Prim Bros., 21 Dawson street. 29 E

DONNYBROOK—House for Sale or Let; 69 Eglinton road; 9 apartments. 30 F

FOR Sale, 2 Templemore avenue, Rathgar—Non-basement House; 2 large reception rooms (folding doors), 6 bedrooms, box-room; bath, h. and c.; 2 w.c.'s, kitchen with domestic boiler, scullery, pantries, indoor coalhouse, electric light, power plugs, gas, garden; all in good condition; price £1,250; P.L.V. £50. Telephone: 91232. 26 C

HOWTH—For Sale, Kylemalawn, Nashville Park; beautiful position, overlooking Harbour; nine rooms, all modern conveniences, garage; long lease; £900. Key next door.—O'Brien, 60 Belmont avenue, Dublin.

HOWTH, Co. Dublin—Substantial pre-war Semi-Detached Residence; 3 reception rooms, 4 bedrooms, h. and c. water, gas, electricity, garden, tennis court; P.L.V. £34; Ground Rent, £10; long lease; price £1,250.—H 1263, this office. 24 X

IRISHTOWN—8 Parkview Place, alongside Library; neat, two-storey House; six apartments, bathroom. Also Household Furniture. Excellent Sale. Auction on Premises, Wednesday, 8th. Open Daily.—Albert MacArthur, The Housefinder. 30 F

KILLINEY—Pre-war Residence with lovely views, large accommodation, suitable for conversion into flats; gas and power; gardens and garage; freehold; price £1,100, or rent £90, plus rates.—Hamilton and Hamilton, Ltd., 60 Dawson street. 29 E

"LISCAHILL," 31 Haddon road, Clontarf, at reduced price; 12 apartments, large gardens, garage, outhouses; valuation £36; ground rent £10. Inspection invited. 'Phone: 36089. 26 C

MODERN Houses at Churchtown, containing 2 rec., 3 bedrooms, kitchenette, etc., and garage; only three left at pre-war prices; 10 per cent. deposit sufficient balance arranged. Particulars, Messrs. Hodgins and Waters, Fitzwilliam quay, Ringsend. 29 E

MONKSTOWN (sea front)—Substantial Residence; four converted flats, garden, garage; moderate price.—Battersby and Co., Thirty-nine Westmoreland street. 6 1

ON 3 acres [illegible] exceptionally attractive, non-basement, pre-war Residence, three reception rooms, five bedrooms, central heating and every modern convenience, at reduced price.—Jackson Stops and McCabe, 35 Kildare street. 29 E

ON the banks of the [illegible]—Charming Cottage on 2 acres, containing 5 rooms, w.c.; fishing rights available; price £400; freehold.—Hamilton and Hamilton, Ltd., 60 Dawson street. 29 E

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RATHFARNHAM—[illegible] 3 reception, 5 bedrooms, garage, good gardens [illegible]—H 1614, this office.

## HOUSES AND LANDS.

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"ESTEREL," TEMPLE ROAD, DARTRY.
SUPERB, DETACHED, NON-BASEMENT RESIDENCE, STANDING IN ITS OWN ATTRACTIVE AND SECLUDED GARDENS, WITH FULL-SIZED TENNIS COURT, ROCK GARDENS, etc.
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ROWAN Park, Blackrock—Exceptional, semi detached, granite faced; 2 reception, 4 bedrooms, lounge hall, cloakroom, kitchen, bathroom and w.c.; central heating throughout, with plant in specially constructed cellar; gardens and garage. Keys, Connolly, Auctioneer, 3 Lincoln place. 26 C

RATHGAR, excellent position, pre-war, red brick Residence, 3 reception rooms, 5 bedrooms, etc., gardens, garage, for immediate Sale.—Jackson Stops and McCabe, 35 Kildare street. 29 E

RATHMINES Road, near Portobello Bridge—To be Sold on moderate terms, an excellent house, 9 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, electric light, garden and stable.—James H. North and Co., Agents, 110 Grafton street.

SUTTON—£700, cosy Bungalow; five apartments and bathroom, garage, spacious gardens; reasonable ground rent. Apply P. J. Brady, 18 Aungier street. 29 E

STRAND road, Merrion—£1,300, semi-detached, two storey House, 8 rooms, electric, good garden.—Battersby, Thirty-nine Westmoreland street. 27 X

TERENURE (adjacent 15 tram stop)—Beautiful, modern Residence, containing two reception, four bedrooms, lovely gardens, garage; £1,700.—Jackson Stops and McCabe, 35 Kildare street. 26 C

TWO New Houses, let to solvent tenants; profit rent £71 p.a.; North side, splendidly built; what offers?—H 1393, this office. 26 C

TERENURE—For Sale, price £850, brick built House, which has been completely and thoroughly redecorated throughout; two sittingrooms, four bedrooms, separate bathroom, two w.c.'s, kitchen and pantry.—H 1589, this office. 30 F

UPPER Rathmines—Detached, pre-war, double-fronted, non-basement House, with three-quarters acre, for Sale; 3 reception rooms, 4 bedrooms, bathroom, garage; price £2,000.—James H. North and Co., 110 Grafton street.

VARIETY in Wireless Tones. See the illustrated article in the "Weekly Irish Times" to-day. Price twopence. 30 F

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8 DUNDELA Park, Sandycove (off Elton Park)—Roomy, semi-detached, modern House, in delightful locality, by reliable building contractors; 2 reception, maid's, sitting, 4 bedrooms, garage, E. and W. aspect; 2/3 remission of rates for four years; pre-war price; on view. Apply J. and R. Thompson (Dublin), Ltd., 'phone, 72635 (2 lines). 23 X

59 SEAFIELD road, East, Clontarf—Attractive, modern, detached Bungalow, containing two reception, three bedrooms, garage; low outgoings; no reasonable offer refused.—Jackson Stops and McCabe, 35 Kildare street. 26 C

£490, DALKEY—Semi-detached, pre-war, non-basement House, close to tram, 'bus, rail, sea, churches and shopping, containing 2 reception, 4 bedrooms, kitchen, h. and c. bath, good garden; low outgoings. Key with Thos. Dockrell, Sons and Co., Ltd., Agents. 29 E

£750, CLONTARF (city end)—Corner House, sunny position; garage space, 3 bedrooms.—Arthur Jones, Stephen's Green.

£1,050 FREE rent, excellent ten-roomed House, garage space, Rathgar; another, detached, Terenure, labour-saving equipment, 4 bedrooms, £1,750.—Auctioneers, Jones.

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BLACKROCK, 46 Frascati Park, dining and drawingrooms, 4 bedrooms, garage. Apply Harris, St. Helen's, Avoca avenue, Blackrock.

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EGLINTON Road—Large, nine-roomed Residence, suit guest house or nursing home, £85 and rates. Keys with Jackson Stops and McCabe, 35 Kildare street. 30 F

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PARK avenue, Sandymount—To be Let Unfurnished, semi-detached, non-basement House with large garden, 2 sittingrooms, 5 bedrooms, maid's room, bathroom, electric light.—James H. North and Co., Agents, 110 Grafton street.

RATHGAR—Non-basement; two large reception rooms, five bedrooms, etc., electricity, gas, garden; rent £100 (free).—Prim Bros., 21 Dawson street. 29 C

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WANTED to Purchase, about 5 Acres good Land, Co. Dublin, suitable for garden, with small Cottage preferred.—H 1426, this office. 26 C

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WANTED immediately, Rathgar, Neville road, Victoria road, Frankfort avenue, Templemore avenue or Terenure, House; 2 reception, 3-4 bedrooms, garage essential; price not to exceed £1,100; cash purchaser. Full particulars in first instance to Hamilton and Hamilton, Ltd., 60 Dawson street. 29 E

WANTED to Purchase, Residence detached if possible between Corr Bridge and Claremont Hotel, Howth; 2/3 sittingrooms, 4 bedrooms, bath, etc.; large garden, garage. Details, H 1620, this office. 30 D

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AT 63 Lower Baggot street, Unfurnished Hall Flat, two rooms, kitchen, bathroom. Apply basement. 26 C

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